

The Weather

Today—Cloudy and mild with occasional light rain. Yesterday—High, 66; low, 44.

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Servicemen Stage Riot Here After Parade

Million Citizens Turn Out to Hail Return of Adm. Nimitz

Mile-Long Parade Led By Admiral Of Pacific

Addresses Congress Soon After Arrival; Decorated by Truman At White House

By Robert C. Albright

A sailor named Nimitz came home yesterday to receive the most enthusiastic welcome Washington has given a returning naval hero since Admiral George Dewey sailed back from Manila Bay.

The fleet admiral who battered Japan's navy against her own coastline received a mile-long cheer from a million hoarse throats, and a mighty salute from every branch of the service.

The lustiest crowd ever to turn out in Washington to welcome one man stretched over a flag-decked route from the Capitol, where Congress paid him tribute in joint session, to the Monument Grounds, where the Nimitz parade passed in review.

1025 Planes Overhead
Overhead 1025 planes, largest air armada ever to fly at one time over an American city, wove interlocking patterns, then flew in formations spelling "N-I-M-I-T-Z." Above the Monument Grounds other planes spelled the same name in smoke.

For the white-haired, ruddy-faced sailor, who said the welcome really was meant for a private named Smith and a woman named Jones, and a junior officer named Brown, it was truly a day of superlatives.

The climax came under a leaden sky in the White House rose garden. There, beside patched walls still showing the damage of a recent war, President Truman planned on his breast a Gold Star in lieu of a third Distinguished Service Medal.

Arrival at Capitol
Arriving by plane at the Anacostia Naval Air Station, the five-star admiral and his party were whisked to the Capitol for the start of the official celebration.

Crowds of Government employees, salesfolk and school children, turned loose for the afternoon, were already forming. So quietly did he arrive that few noticed his limousine among the others drawing up at the House entrance.

There a congressional welcoming committee took him in hand. After a brief stop in the Speaker's office, he was escorted down the center aisle of the House to receive wild applause mixed with rebel yells.

Speaks to Congress
It might have been the Army's Eisenhower and Wainwright celebrations all over again were it not for the slight figure in Navy blue that stood erect at the Speaker's table waiting for the applause to die down.

When he spoke it was in a voice you had to strain to hear—the high-pitched, clipped accents of the Navy, no pretense at oratory.

Admiral Nimitz had a message for the legislators. It was this: On V-J Day Japan had a larger army and more powerful air force than when she struck at Pearl Harbor.

But of a once great navy, Japan's fighting fleet had ceased to exist.

Japan's Only Choice
Nimitz's firm belief and his moral to Congress was that not the atomic bomb but American seapower had terminated the war. The word "seapower" echoed and reechoed through his speech: "With our seapower making possible the use of all our other resources, we gave Japan the single choice of surrender or slow, but certain death."

He reminded Congress that this Nation has never entered a war for which we were prepared, and the best way to keep out of another, or to come out on top if it must come, is to "exercise our intelligence, our vigilance . . . our good plain common sense and keep our fighting forces ready for use if required."

Later, in his speech to the quarter, he said: "I am here only as a representative of the brave men who fought under my command of whom a few are here today."

Admiral Nimitz Receives Gold Star



DECORATED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN—A Gold Star in lieu of a third Distinguished Service Medal is pinned on Fleet Admiral Chester Nimitz by his smiling Commander in Chief during ceremonies yesterday on the lawn of the White House.

Nimitz Warns Preparedness Only Safe Path

Congress Goes Wild As Fleet Admiral Appears in House

By James E. Chinn

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz yesterday brushed aside his hero's halo, and in the role of a self-styled "professional sailor," bluntly warned Congress that preparedness for war is the only safe path to peace.

"In the name of all we Americans hold dear," he declared, "I pray that no future war may ever again find us unprepared."

An enthusiastic demonstration marked the joint Senate and House reception for the Navy's master of the Pacific—his first official welcome home from the war.

Chamber Jammed
The House chamber, scene of ceremonies, was jammed when Nimitz was escorted down the center aisle to the Speaker's rostrum. Members of Congress and visitors on the floor leaped from their seats, waved, cheered, applauded, whistled and tossed in a few rebel yells to boot.

Crowds in the packed galleries, broke a long standing House rule, and joined in the frenzied greeting.

A similar demonstration was given 14 marine and naval heroes of the bitter Pacific warfare, who occupied seats of honor on the floor.

The admiral wanted it that way. He wanted to share whatever glory showered on him with the men who fought under him. He so told Congress in these humble words:

" . . . I am here only as a representative of the brave men who fought under my command of whom a few are here today."

The stage was set in the House for Nimitz 15 minutes before his arrival. The Army and Navy high command were in the gallery.

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Truman Pins Gold Star on Pacific Hero

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, a blue-water sailor who looks the part, already had two Distinguished Service Medals when he arrived at the White House to be decorated yesterday.

In lieu of a third well-deserved DSM, President Truman presented Nimitz with a Gold Star.

"It gives me the greatest pleasure in the world," said the Chief Executive as he pinned the medal on the admiral's chest.

The ceremony took place in the White House rose garden, a spot which earlier had known the tread of Eisenhower, Wainwright and others who won glory in the war.

Painters See Show
A group of painters, attired in white overalls and caps, looked down on the spectacle. They were at work on the west wall of the White House, giving it the first painting it has had since Pearl Harbor, when President Truman walked out of his office holding Admiral Nimitz by the arm.

A moment later they came down from their scaffolds and lined up along a terrace to see the show.

President Truman stood alongside Admiral Nimitz on the turf of the rose garden. In front of them were a small army of cameramen, newsmen and still, aiming their lenses and doubtless cursing the disappearance of the sun. Behind them were the First Lady and Miss Mary Margaret Truman, and also Mrs. Nimitz and the three Nimitz daughters.

Also present were Secretary of the Navy Forrestal, Secretary of War Patterson, and the Chiefs of Staff—Gen. George C. Marshall, Admiral Ernest J. King, Gen. H. H. Arnold and Admiral William D. Leahy. The top man of the Marine Corps, Gen. A. A. Vandegrift, also was on hand, along with many others in the ranks of Big Brass.

President Truman, talking into a microphone, said:

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Byrnes Hopes Reds Will Join Peace Parley

Says Molotov Agreed Plan for Session Was 'Correct in Principle'

By John M. Hightower

Secretary of State Byrnes last night declared firmly against dictation of world peace by the Big Three powers and expressed a "hope" that Soviet Russia would agree to hold a general conference to settle the peace of Europe.

The Secretary disclosed that at the recent meeting of foreign ministers at London Foreign Commissar Molotov of Russia had agreed the proposal for a conference was "correct in principle."

"My hope," Byrnes declared in a radio address, "is that after he has conferred with his government, his government will agree that the nations that fought the war—the World War—shall have a chance to make the world peace."

In a 4000-word report on the foreign ministers council from which he returned less than 24 hours before, Byrnes officially confirmed the plan.

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Cubs' Passeau Beats Tigers, 3-0, on 1 Hit

Bruin Right-Hander Faces Only 28 Men As Rudy York Gets Lone Detroit Blow

By Shirley Povish

Post Staff Writer

Briggs Stadium, Detroit, Oct. 5.—Stand up and cheer, you good folks of Lucedale, Miss., blow your toppers, if you like, and beat the drums. Your Claude Passeau just turned in the finest World Series pitching performance since 1908—a beautiful one-hit shutout.

Join in the shouting, you Mill-saps College grads, because Passeau is one of your boys, too. He made saps of the Tigers all afternoon and then at the finish walked into the gleeful embrace of his Cub teammates with a 3-0 victory for the records.

He gave up a single to Rudy York in the second inning, and that was the only hit he allowed, and only two Tigers reached base, and the Cubs are now leading the Tigers, two games to one in this World Series. He was pitching the first World Series one-hitter since Ed Reulbach of the old Cubs turned the trick against the White Sox 39 years ago.

Passeau Picture of Skill
Passeau moved the Cubs into the role of heavy favorites to win the series that moves to Chicago for the fourth game tomorrow. The Cub fans now bear the mark of two shutout defeats. A desperate pitching situation now exists for the Tigers, who tomorrow will call on Dizzy Trout as their pitcher.

Ancient Ray Prim, a left-hander, will be the Cub's choice.

Passeau was a picture of pitching skill out there on the mound today, an imposing 6-foot-8 figure with perfect poise and bringing to bear all of the guile acquired in his 14 years in the majors. He was throwing a fast ball and a curve ball, and the Tigers were baffled, helpless crew. Passeau was dispatched with such rapidity only 28 men faced him.

And He Drives in Run, Too
York singled in the second inning and Bob Swift walked in the sixth, and that was the sum total of the Tigers' batting attack against Passeau. Otherwise the Tigers couldn't get to first base against him, literally.

And Passeau knocked in one of the three Chicago runs. He was boss of the ball game, and the series' biggest crowd, 55,500 fans who paid \$223,497 was reduced to glum muttering with each passing inning as each rise and dip of the mound.

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Warns Against Nips

Gen. Howard Saw Wainwright Slapped by Japanese Sentry

Second article on Brig. Gen. Samuel L. Howard's experiences

By Edward T. Follard

Post Staff Writer

In the late summer of 1942 a Japanese guard slapped Lieut. Jonathan M. Wainwright across the face.

The alleged reason for the slap may have been that Wainwright was not wearing a hat, or it may have been that he was wearing a hat. Again, it may have been because Wainwright's finger nails were too long. If not that, then perhaps it was because his nails were too short.

The lanky hero of Bataan and Corregidor, it seems, was bound to catch it no matter which it was. Happened in Formosa.

The story of the slapping was told yesterday by Brig. Gen. Samuel L. Howard, USMC, of this city, who shared imprisonment with General Wainwright and other officers for more than three years. It happened, Howard said, in the notorious Camp No. 4 at Kanken on the island of Formosa.

"The Japanese propagandists," General Howard said, "had been making a lot of noise over the way Japanese were being treated on the West Coast here in the United States. About this time, they came

to us and asked us to write a letter to the War Department, protesting against the treatment of the Japs in this country.

"We refused. Then they really put the heat on. Wainwright and King (Maj. Gen. Edward F. King, Jr.) were among those who got slapped around.

"A Japanese sentry took up a position near the toilet. If an officer came by, he would slap him and hawl him out for not having a hat on. We all made it a point then to put our hats on.

"Then the Jap sentry began slapping officers and telling them to take their hats off. After that, you would get a slap if your nails were too long and also if they were too short."

General Howard said that he saw Wainwright get slapped, but he didn't know whether it was because of a hat (on or off) or because of long or short finger nails. In any event, he said, it was clear that the Jap sentry was simply carrying out orders from above.

General Howard, who was the Marine Corps officer in command of all beach defenses at Corregidor, said that he and his fellow prisoners were required to salute all Japanese sentries and also made to bow to them. At the same time, See HOWARD, Page 2, Column 1.

Telephone communication in the District and the Nation returned to normal around 7 p. m. yesterday, following a national work stoppage that took an estimated 250,000 employees from their jobs.

The walkout, which lasted almost seven hours here, still long-distance circuits save for emergency calls, crippled some radio and teletype operations, but left dial systems virtually unhampered. It was the first nationwide telephone work stoppage in the country's history.

The demonstration was staged as a "unity display" and to give the national organization authority to See PHONE, Page 4, Column 6.

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GI's, Marines And Soldiers Clash With Police Here

Fight Breaks Out When Patrolman Tries to Arrest Two on 8th St. SE

More than 60 soldiers, sailors and marines staged a 10-minute riot in the 500 block of 8th st. se, shortly before 6 o'clock last night.

The riot, an unscheduled Nimitz Day event, broke out when Police Officer Olden Maxfield of the Fifth Precinct tried to arrest two sailors.

The policeman said the pair were shouting and being boisterous. He approached them, telling them to "pipe down." Then the fight started.

Soldiers, sailors and Marines, poured from nearby taprooms and others walking on the sidewalk entered the melee.

Scout Cars Rush Aid
Maxfield summoned assistance and scout cars from the Fifth, Fourth, Ninth, First and Eleventh Precincts were rushed to the area. All available motorcycle patrolmen and four detachments of MPs and shore patrolmen likewise were pressed into service.

A crowd of close to 500 milled about the intersection.

When order was restored, two soldiers and four sailors were under arrest and a policeman had a barked shiner.

Those arrested included Pvt. John P. Coleman, 17, and Pfc. James R. Carroll, 18, both in training with the Maryland State Guard at Fort Meade, police said. They were charged with disorderly conduct.

Navy men arrested were Cox. John Kinpher, 23, and S2/c R. V. Parks, 24, assigned to the destroyer Carter, both charged with being drunk, disorderly and with assault; FC 2/c A. E. Elliott, 20, Naval Receiving Station, Annapolis, charged with disorderly conduct, and another sailor identified only as Robert A. Amunson, 23, assigned to the Washington Navy Yard, charged at the Ninth Precinct with disorderly conduct.

The pair who started the fight were not identified by police.

After the arrests a rescue party of seven Marines and three sailors stormed the Fifth Precinct station, protesting the arrest of their comrades. All were seized by shore patrolmen and taken away.

Police Pvt. Edwin Coppage, tripped on the back step of a patrol wagon, and was the only casualty. He received first aid at Providence Hospital.

Senator Byrd Opposes Sharing Atomic Weapons

Senator Harry Flood Byrd opposes this country's sharing its information on the atomic bomb or "any similar discovery having the capacity of great destructiveness," he announced yesterday.

The Virginia Senator said in a statement he is opposed to "making public or giving any other nation any information as to the methods to produce" the atomic bomb or any other comparable weapon.

Tax Relief Bill Is Assured Quick Passage in House

Legislation cutting 1946 Federal tax burdens by \$5,300,000,000 will be brought before the House next Thursday with quick passage virtually assured.

The House Ways and Means Committee bill will be brought to the floor for debate under parliamentary procedure that will permit amendments from the floor unless they have been approved by the committee.

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Patton Didn't Know Son-in-Law Was in Raided German Camp

Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., said today concern for all Americans held at Hammelburg prompted his abortive strike at the German camp last March 27 and he did not know until nine days later that his son-in-law was among the prisoners there.

The son-in-law is Lieut. Col. John K. Waters, Maryland-born West Pointer who was captured in North Africa in 1943. He was among Americans and Allied prisoners freed April 7, not by Patton's forces but by a column of the U. S. Seventh Army's Fourteenth Armored Division.

Patton, who is being transferred Sunday from command of his veteran Third Army to the skeletonized Fifteenth Army, admitted he lost a task force of about 300 men

In the March 27 rescue attempt by his Fourth Armored Division. The defeat of the task force was related by AP Correspondent Edward D. Ball in an April 13 dispatch from the Third Army front. Ball, now in Berlin, said today there were no indications at the time Patton sent out his task force that he knew his son-in-law was in the camp, since the last word from Waters had been that he was in a camp in Poland with Amon Carter, Jr.

Colonel Waters, convalescing from his wounds, left Walter Reed Hospital here September 15 on 30 days' temporary duty. He is currently at his home, 3900 Tunlaw rd. nw.—Editor's note.

Austen Lake, war correspondent-columist of the Boston American, said in an article yesterday that said in an article yesterday that

Medal Winner Seeks Award



A LITTLE KISS, PLEASE—Pfc. Jatklyn H. Lucas, 17-year-old Marine hero of Belhaven, N. C., tries to steal a kiss from his laughing girl friend, Carolyn Brown, after he received the Congressional Medal of Honor from President Truman. "Luke" wears the medal and ribbon around his neck.

Col. Wyman Probe Ends

Army Admits Delays on Radar Left Pearl Harbor Wide Open

By George Connery

Post Staff Writer

The Army yesterday revealed that confusion, mistakes and misconduct helped to delay construction of radar and other installations in Hawaii in 1941 and left Pearl Harbor wide open for the disaster of December 7.

The information was suppressed when the Army's Pearl Harbor board made its report on August 29. It is released now, Secretary Patterson said, because investigation has been completed in the case of Col. Theodore Wyman, Jr., key figure in the construction muddle.

Despite three specific accusations against Colonel Wyman, Patterson concluded that disciplinary action against him "is not justified on the present record."

The information made public yesterday shows:

1. Admiral Kimmel told the board that General Short had informed him "he thought he could give us (radar) coverage of up to 150 miles and probably to 200 miles."

2. Brig. Gen. James A. Mollison, Air Forces, testified that, with ample warning American fighters "could have kept almost all of those slow-moving torpedo bombers out." He also said the Jap torpedo bombers did the most damage.

3. The permanent type radar sets that would have protected the island were on the island but not in place and operating because of construction delays. (Towers

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Nimitz Accepts Honor for His Men

Nimitz Calls Himself 'Representative' Of Men Who Fought Under His Command

Following is the text of Admiral Nimitz's speech to Congress yesterday:

It is with humility that I accept the great honor of appearing before you on this occasion. I feel confident that no greater honor will come to me during my lifetime. Yet I am sensible of the fact that I do not come here merely as an individual. I would like to acknowledge the very outset that I am here only as a representative of the brave men who fought under my command in the Pacific of whom a few are here with me today.

Speaking in the name of those brave men—whether they were the uniform of the Army, the Navy, the Coast Guard or the Marine Corps—I wish to give you a brief report on the job we are just bringing to an end.

Five weeks ago today, I was in a land of hunger and defeat and disillusionment. Five weeks ago today I was in Japan. Among the ships of the Pacific Fleet anchored in Tokyo Bay was a proud symbol of that humanity and mercy which can exist, among a civilized people, even in the midst of a bloody war. That symbol of humanity and mercy was a ship of the United States Navy—the Hospital Ship *Benevolence*.

A Victory at Great Price

She had been sent to Tokyo Bay, as her sister ships had been sent to other enemy ports, to take on board the starved, the sick, the wounded and the heart-sore American prisoners of war in that area.

I shall always remember that visit because it was my privilege, that day, to shake the hand of so many men who had fought and suffered, to make awards in the name of the President, a reminder that our victory has been purchased at great price. In the hurt and hungry eyes of those rescued men you could see a kinship with their thousands of lost comrades—men who will forever sleep beneath the lonely palms of uncounted Pacific isles, men who will stand beside eternal watch at sea for as long as time goes on. Those men—the rescued and their lost comrades—are a greater price than any that can be reckoned in billions of dollars.

Let us have a look at what was accomplished in the Pacific war by the costly victory of our fighting men. One good result is that to review what Japan had left, in the way of military resources, when she was forced to admit defeat.

Jap Air Force, Army Grew

It may come as a surprise to many Americans to learn that, from the standpoint of all troops and aircraft, Japan actually was better off on V-J Day than she was nearly four years ago, when she initiated national hara kiri with her treacherous attack on Pearl Harbor.

At the end of the war, Japan had a larger army and a far more powerful air force than she possessed on December 7, 1941. Here are the rough figures, according to our best intelligence. In the home islands of Japan, at the time of surrender, there were more than two million trained professional military personnel. In addition, there was a large force of home guards, prefectural police and auxiliaries of various kinds. In China, Manchuria, Formosa, and Japan's stolen empire to the south, there were more than three million men. All told, Japan could muster a trained professional army of more than six million men on V-J Day, as against a total of only three million plus on the day this war began.

From the standpoint of air strength, the figures are even more startling. Japan began this war with an approximate total of 5300 planes of which roughly 3200 were combatant types. On the day we added, Japan's air force had increased by approximately 100 per cent to a total of 11,000 planes of which approximately 6000 were combatant types.

Why, then, did the enemy have no alternative but to surrender? And why did he sue for peace before the introduction of the atomic bomb and before the entry of Russia into the war?

No Fleet After Early August

By early August, Japan's fighting fleet had ceased to exist. Of a once great Navy of this year, Japan had still afloat 1 battleship, damaged; 4 aircraft carriers, all damaged; 2 heavy cruisers, both damaged; 2 light cruisers, 1 damaged. Not one of these ships had a crew aboard. Thirty-nine of Japan's once large force of destroyers remained, but 6 of these were damaged and 10 were without crews. Fifty-one enemy submarines survived, and 95 small patrol craft. In addition there were a couple of mine layers, two old training cruisers and a submarine tender. By the middle of 1945, Japan might as well have scuttled the remnant of her navy for all the good it could do against our own powerful sea-air forces.

The picture of Japan's merchant marine was equally as grim. Considerably more than a year ago, our intelligence gave us this information on the toll we were then taking on Japanese shipping between Malaya and the home islands. Of each five Japanese merchant ships which sailed from Singapore, the Japanese counted themselves extremely lucky if three of those five ships stayed afloat to complete their journey.

Our enemy was forced to surrender because Japan, a maritime nation, dependent on food and materials from overseas, was stripped of her seapower. On the other hand, we had the seapower which made it possible to capture—and hold—the bases within Japan's system of inner defenses from which our Army very long range bombers and other aircraft operated.

What Our Sea Power Did

We had sea power which made it possible to cut the enemy's lines of overseas communications to points on the Asiatic continent and in the Southwest Pacific, denying him access to needed resources. His industry was strangling and his people were at the point of starvation. He lacked oil for his ships and gasoline for his aircraft. We had sea power which made it possible to protect our own lines of communication and move vast quantities of men, materials and munitions to our forward bases and also to the Russians. We had sea power to prevent an enemy effort to launch amphibious counter attacks on our flanks or in the rear. We had sea power to cover and support every amphibious landing of the Pacific war. We had powerful carrier forces which had struck strategic and tactical targets in the innermost recesses of the Empire. We had seized forward bases and built the airfields which made possible the wonderfully successful B-29 bombing and mining missions, and eventually the atomic destruction of Hiroshima and Nagasaki. With our seapower making possible the use of all our other resources, we gave Japan the single choice of surrender or slow but certain death. And for the final wise decision, to surrender and spare us the cost in lives of an invasion, we can all breathe a fervent "Thank God."

In stressing the importance of seapower in our Pacific victory, I do not intend or desire to give the impression that, in galling this victory, any one service deserves praise above another. It was my privilege and honor to command officers and men in all of the services. Never did I find that a man's uniform affected his willingness to respond when there was a job to be done and a brave man. There was no difference in the way they fought; and when they fell—whether they were dressed in Army khaki, Marine green or Navy blue—they all wore the same red badge of honor that is stained with the blood of free men who hold that liberty is dearer than life itself.

A Victory of Teamwork

Our victory was the product of integrated teamwork from the highest echelons of command to the lowest. No mention of the Pacific war could or should be made by me without reference to the late President Franklin Roosevelt whose foresight and keen interest resulted in a rapid rebuilding of the Navy soon after he assumed the responsibility of Commander in Chief. We, the officers and men of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard in the Pacific are deeply grateful to our late Commander in Chief, and to our present Commander in Chief, and to our seniors in the chain of command for their unwavering support of the forces in the field.

We are also grateful to the Congress and to the people whom they represent, for providing rapidly and generously the resources which made our victory possible. Never in the history of any war have the forces in the field been more effectively and loyally supported by the folks at home.

I was privileged to command not only naval personnel including Coast Guard and Marines, but also Army personnel of the United States. I would indeed be remiss if I did not include in my appreciation the officials of the War Department and the Army officers and men in the field who were tireless in their efforts to meet our requirements and who fought shoulder to shoulder with us.

We in the Pacific Ocean areas are indebted also to our Allies of the British Commonwealth, New Zealand and Australian forces fought with us, and a powerful detachment of the British Pacific fleet had an important place on the team and participated in the operations which resulted in the defeat of Japan.

A Word for Merchant Marine

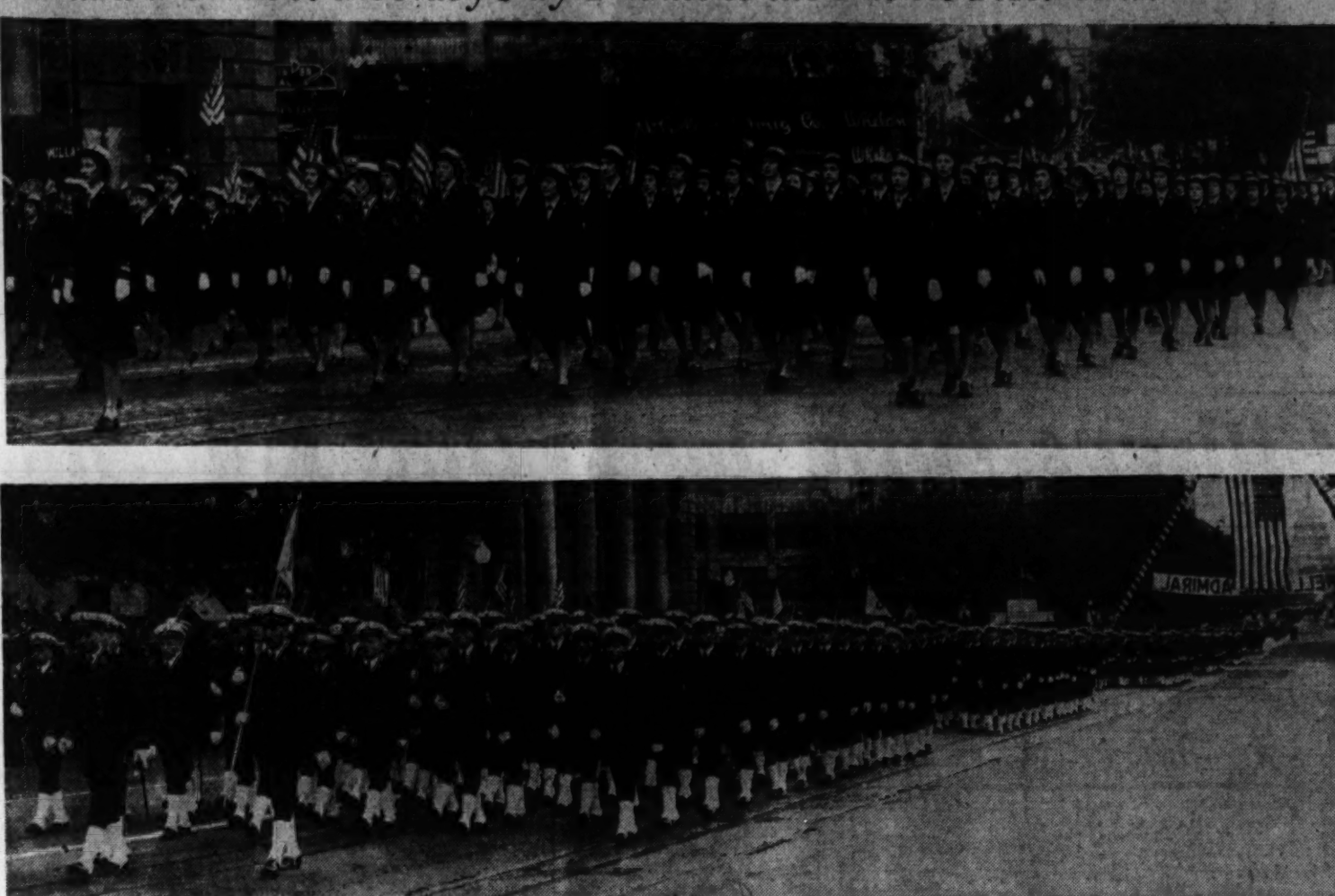
Our operations would not have been possible without the strong support of our Merchant Marine. These gallant officers and men maintained a bridge of ships across the Pacific, and bore their share of the Japanese attacks while unloading on distant islands where the struggle was still intense and the issue not yet decided.

All of you know the accounting which has been made in the Office of the Secretary of the Navy. Until he had literally given his life in the service of his country, Secretary Frank Knox moved and acted in the high traditions we revere; at his death, another and younger leader was ready in James Forrestal. To both of these men our country bears a debt of gratitude.

From the beginning of the war we had the intelligent direction of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. For the conduct of the offensive in the Pacific Ocean areas which carried across the Pacific from the Gilberts to the Ryukyus there was a joint staff under my supervision. Officers and men of all American forces and representatives of Great Britain served on this staff, and I am indebted to them for their loyalty, ability and unfailing wise counsel.

Your fighting men have done well the job you sent them out to do—the job you helped them to do by your complete mobilization of

Men and Women of the Navy Pay Tribute to the Pacific Fleet Chief



Waves (top photo) and Midshipmen of the Naval Academy (lower photo) march up Pennsylvania ave. toward the Monument Grounds to be reviewed by Fleet Admiral Nimitz

WYMAN

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would have given these sets far greater range than the mobile set that did pick up the Jap planes 80 miles off.

4. Construction schedules called for completion of the radar system many months before Pearl Harbor.

5. Colonel Wyman, in charge of construction for the Corps of Engineers, pushed through the major contracts for a friend, Hans Wilhelm Rohl, a German alien.

Further, Wyman had been a close associate of Rohl, an association "characterized by improper conduct and (one that) continued over a considerable period into and through the Pearl Harbor events," Kimmel explains.

Kimmel told the board:

"At the time, I thought the aircraft warning service of the Army was probably somewhat better than it later proved to be. I knew that in the drills that we had conducted they had been quite successful in following the planes, and I recall that General Short, on one occasion, told me that he thought he could give us a coverage up to 150 miles and probably 200 miles.

"This was, just conversation, I didn't inquire too closely into it, because that was quite satisfactory to me; and if he could do that, that was, I thought, doing pretty well."

The admiral also said that the Navy itself could run "reconnaissance of a sort," but that it "had to know the time of the attack, within rather narrow limits, in order to have anything like an effective search, because we could not maintain a search except for a very few hours."

He said this fact was known to

victory in the Pacific. We have carried out the duty imposed upon us on December 7, 1941.

I am deeply moved by—and profoundly grateful for—the evidence I have seen today that Congress considers that duty to have been well and faithfully discharged.

both War and Navy Departments in Washington.

Kimmel admitted that the Navy made no attempt to use its own shipboard radar while in port, because surrounding hills, towers and buildings, he said, made it virtually useless. He said the ships in Pearl Harbor "depended entirely on the shore for radar information."

Navy Not Notified

He said he felt "let down" the Tuesday after the attack when he learned that the Army knew "within rather narrow limits" the location of the Jap force but had not communicated the information to the Navy.

"It was the information we wanted above everything else," Kimmel told the Army board.

He said Admiral Bellinger and Capt. Logan Ramsey called the Army information center several times during the attack to find out the probable location of the Jap carrier. Each time, he said, they were informed they couldn't get anything.

Towers Not Operating

Direction of the returning Jap planes could have been learned more accurately had the three fixed, high-power radar stations been operating, Col. Lorry N. Tindal of the air forces told the board.

And they should have been operating the previous month, Col. C. A. Powell, Hawaiian department signal officer, declared.

Construction of these three installations was under contract to the German alien, Rohl, and his company, Colonel Wyman, as district engineer officer, was responsible for supervising Rohl.

This is the record of Rohl's testimony on the delay:

Q. "Will you state the date on which all equipment was here and complete so that they could be erected?"

A. "Well, to the best of my knowledge and belief, I think that

they could have been operated in November of that year."

Q. "Was installation of the permanent sets held up?"

A. "Yes, sir."

Q. "What were the reasons?"

A. "The reasons were that the engineers were unable to complete the sites for these permanent installations."

Q. "Why were they unable to complete the sites? Do you know?"

A. "I do not know, sir."

The report criticizes Rohl as a riotous liver, a troublemaker, and the head of an inefficient company, who had to make a paper transfer of his business to his wife to get past a law barring enemy aliens from knowledge of secret military contracts.

No Saboteur Found

However, it concludes:

"The board found no evidence to indicate that the lack of progress in construction activities in Hawaii and the delays connected therewith were due to enemy agents, or to persons connected with such activities, who, by intent, influenced the existing lack of progress and the delay that ensued."

Various witnesses described Wyman as a "heavy drinker," a "bull in a china shop," and "the most impossible person personally that we had in the Engineers."

60 Dead in Storm

San Salvador, El Salvador, Oct. 5 (AP)—Heavy storms which have swept the country since Sunday have caused at least 60 deaths, injuries to 100 persons and extensive property damage, it was estimated today. Flash-floods down the slopes of Usulután Volcano submerged the town of Ozotlan.

Sulfa Plant Explodes

London, Oct. 5 (AP)—One woman was killed and at least 54 other workers injured when a section of the May and Baker chemical plant, sulfa drug manufacturer, exploded at Dagenham, Essex, early today. Cause of the explosion has not been determined.

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it and pickets immediately began to close in around his car. He backed away from the entrance and drove to another entrance less heavily picketed. At this entrance, the officer got out of his car, with a rifle in his hand, and said to police and pickets:

"I'm not working for Warners. I'm here on government business."

The handful of pickets fell away and a policeman escorted him into the studio.

The strike, involving from 3000 to 7000 persons, arose from a jurisdictional dispute between two AFL unions over affiliation of some 77 set decorators.

In Detroit, where 80,000 workers are on the sidelines because of labor troubles, the CIO United Automobile Workers said the six-week strike at Kelsey-Hayes Wheel Company was virtually ended, but the company disagreed.

"It won't be over until enough men report to start production," said Lester Downie, company treasurer, after the union reported a "rebel" picket line had been removed.

The UAW international officers have repudiated the Kelsey-Hayes strike, involving 4800 persons. The long shutdown has compelled other automotive industry plants to close or reduce operations for lack of parts from Kelsey-Hayes.

GM to Renew Discussions

Today the UAW is to renew discussions with General Motors Corp. in Detroit over union demands for an industry-wide 30 per cent wage increase. Earlier this week GM rejected the demand as "unreasonable."

In New York where a longshoremen's strike has paralyzed cargo movements in and out of the port, the War Shipping Administration said the AFL union had assured the Government work would be resumed immediately on 16 troopships.

Some 60,000 longshoremen and dock workers are out in a stoppage not authorized formally by the union, which has urged the men to return to work by Monday. The men struck as a protest against exclusion of mention on life loads from a new contract.

The port of Houston, Tex., found shipping at a standstill when nine locals of the longshoremen's union struck for a contract providing \$1.12½ hourly base pay for a 40-hour week, retroactive to October 1. About 1800 workmen were involved.

2700 Bus Drivers Idle

A deadlock over wages resulted in a strike of 2700 AFL bus drivers and station employees that spread over the Pacific Greyhound lines system in seven States. The dispute stranded hundreds of passengers along the line and the company estimated a system-wide shutdown would affect 147,000 passengers daily.

The union contended the company demanded wage cuts rather than increases; the company said it was willing to grant 15 per cent raises and arbitrate remaining demands.

Elsewhere in the northwest conciliation meetings continued in an effort to prevent 40,000 CIO lumber workers from striking and sending the number of persons out of work in that industry above the 100,000 mark. The CIO wants a flat 25 cents an hour wage boost. Some 61,000 AFL members are on strike for a \$1.10 hourly minimum.

In Hartford, Conn., 3000 Royal Typewriter Co. workers walked out. A. S. Madsen, local business manager of the CIO United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers, said the stoppage was caused by "inability to discuss with the company" a grievance concerning the incentive bonus system.

Churchill Back Home

London, Oct. 5 (AP)—Former Prime Minister Winston Churchill returned to London today from his holiday on the Continent.

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they were forced to work harder in the fields—all of this following their refusal to write the letter of protest to the War Department concerning treatment of Japs in this country.

General Howard noted in his diary, under the date of October 30, 1942, that he fainted for want of food. He and the others had been forced to live on three cups of rice a day and a watery soup once a day. His weight fell from 168 to 137 pounds. Occasionally he and his comrades would bolster their diet with snails which they caught in the compound.

The slappings were the least painful part of Japanese cruelty. Occasionally a Jap would slap a prisoner with his rifle butt, or knock one down with his fist. A British prisoner, Maj. Gen. Hugh Simmons, was knocked down in this way despite the fact that he already had a crippled arm.

At this time, the war was going reasonably well for the Japanese, and it might be thought that the Jap high command had no thought about covering up what was going on in the prison camps.

This, however, was not the case. General Howard recalled that, on November 2, 1942, a Japanese propaganda unit arrived at the camp. It set about making a "documentary" movie that would give an entirely different picture of life in a prison camp.

General Howard grinned as he thought back on that particular day.

Made Movie of General

He recalled that the director of the Japanese movie arranged a scene in which General Wainwright was shown going to bed. An orderly tucked the blankets under Wainwright, and cameramen filmed the touching scene. In another shot made in the municipal building at Kure, Wainwright was pictured holding a cup of coffee and puffing a cigarette—luxuries which, of course, were never seen by Wainwright except when the propaganda cameras were grinding.

General Howard also recalled an instance of Japanese window-dressing for the benefit of the International Red Cross. On a day that the Red Cross representative visited the prison camp, the Japs arranged to have a herd of carabao on hand. The implication was, of course, that the beasts were about to be slaughtered and served to the prisoners.

The Japs also arranged to display overflowing hampers of succulent vegetables.

However, as soon as the Red Cross representative left the camp, both the carabao and the vegetable disappeared.

Although he still shows the marks of his imprisonment, General Howard is not a bitter man. He does say, however, and with great emphasis, that Americans must realize that the Japs are not a trustworthy people.

"There is nothing in the Shinto religion that encourages honesty or truth-telling," he says, "and there is nothing that corresponds to our own Golden Rule. They are not to be trusted in any sense of the word."

General Howard believes that their cruelty grows out of a terrific inferiority complex. They grow arrogant and lord it over others, he thinks, to reassure themselves and to try and overcome the haunting sense of inferiority that dwells in the back of their minds.

Rev. DeLoss Scott

Will Be Installed

As Church Pastor

The Rev. DeLoss M. Scott will be installed as pastor of the National Tabernacle, 6440 Piny Branch rd. nw., tomorrow at 11 a.m.

Dr. Andrew Telford, pastor of the Bethesda Church, Philadelphia, will conduct the installation.

Mr. Scott is a graduate of the Toronto (Canada) Bible College, and founder and organizer of the Gospel Tabernacle at St. Mary's, Ontario, where he served 8 years.

United Brethren

To Honor Airman

A memorial service honoring Lieut. James D. Scramlin, of the Fifteenth Air Force, will be conducted tomorrow at 4 p. m. at Memorial United Brethren Church, North Capitol and R sts. by Dr. Ira Sankey Ernst, pastor, and Chaplain Ivan Q. Conner, of Bolling Field. Lieutenant Scramlin was reported "missing in action" on April 27 at Cergnola, Italy. His widow, Mrs. Dorothy Beard Scramlin, and child live at 218 R st. N.E.

Rep. Hays to Open Series

In Arlington Nov. 4

A religious emphasis week sponsored by the Arlington County Ministerial Association will open with a mass meeting in the Clarendon Methodist Church Sunday, November 4. Congressman Brooks Hays (D-Arl) will be the speaker. Throughout the week each church will sponsor some activity to stimulate church activity and on November 11 the week will close with a special "Go to Church Sunday."

Winant En Route to U. S.

London, Oct. 5 (AP)—Ambassador John Winant left today by airplane on a short visit to the United States. During his absence, W. J. Gallman, minister counsellor, will act as charge d'affaires.

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Part of the Throng That Greeted Nimitz



POST SQUARE—Thousands pour into the street at 14th st. and Pennsylvania ave. yesterday after the parade honoring Admiral Nimitz passed by

Record Throng Sees Return of Nimitz

Million Enthusiastic Citizens Line Route; Other Crowds at Monument Ceremonies

The largest and most spectacular parade Washington has seen since the beginning of the war, marked the welcome home of Admiral Nimitz yesterday.

From the Capitol to the reviewing stand at the Monument Lot more than 500,000 men and women members of the Navy, Coast Guard and Marine Corps marched to the music of a dozen military bands and drum and bugle corps.

Behind them another 1200 rode in jeeps, landing craft, and other vehicles of war used by waterborne troops. There were veterans of all the great naval engagements of the Pacific. There were Navy and Marine Air Forces, Waves, Spars and Women Marine Reserves, entry dogs—representatives from all the branches that make up the greatest Navy in history.

Along with them were samples of all kinds of equipment used in the sea warfare of the Pacific, landing barges, sea-going tanks and carrier-borne planes.

Marine and Navy Aircraft

Overhead, in three different exhibitions, roared 1028 Marine and naval aircraft, flying formations, and, on three occasions, exhibiting their skill in formations spelling N-I-M-I-T-Z, once horizontally and twice vertically.

At the reviewing stand the ground parade took 40 minutes to pass by the man whose name is synonymous with the Pacific.

Every unit in the parade shared in the enthusiasm of the crowd. Heading the long procession were 2000 midshipmen from the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., their snappy, parade-perfect cadence winning rounds of applause.

Bluejackets in Line

Without a lag in the timing, came the other units. In order paraded 600 Marines from the United States Marine Barracks at Quantico, Va., 200 bluejackets armed either with submachine guns or M-1 Garands, followed by 400 more without arms, and led by the Navy School of Music Band from the Navy Yard Receiving Station.

Right after the bluejackets came the Coast Guard Band, from Curtis Bay, Md., followed by 150 Coast Guardsmen from the same station.

One of the snappiest units in the entire parade was three platoons of the Navy Nurse Corps from the National Naval Medical Center at Bethesda, Md. A detachment of 400 of the Women Reserve Marines, escorted by the Marine Women's Reserve Band from Camp Lejeune, N. C., followed.

Waves and Spars March

Then came the Waves Drum and Bugle Corps, and 400 Waves from the Washington Naval Barracks. After them came 400 Spars with their band from Coast Guard Headquarters, Washington, and followed by the Spar Drum and Bugle Corps.

Ending the parade of personnel on foot came a detachment of sentry dogs of the Coast Guard, from the Sentry Dog Detachment at Curtis Bay, Md.

Greatest enthusiasm greeted the next unit. In five jeeps came, in the following order, Marine veterans of Tarawa, Guadalcanal, Iwo Jima, Saipan and Okinawa. In another group of five jeeps came Navy veterans of the combat at Guadalcanal, the Battle of the Coral Sea, the Battle of Midway, the Philippine campaign of Bataan and Corregidor and the Philippine liberation campaign.

Artillery and Jeeps

Then came Marine artillery from Quantico. Four 155 howitzers, their barrels glistening peace-time silver, with artillery jeeps, trucks and trailers showed off one of the Navy's most lethal weapons.

Landing craft exhibits came next, both landing craft personnel and landing craft truck sent to Washington from Quantico.

A study in contrast between American landing craft and enemy craft was furnished by a captured 14-ton Jap amphibious tank and other Japanese vehicles from the Washington Navy Yard.

Examples of Might

Then towed by tractors, came exhibits of the types of planes used on U. S. carriers, their wings folded, but giving the crowd examples of the deadly air might of the Navy at sea. They were torpedo-bombing Avengers, the dive-bombing Helldivers and the Navy's pet fighters, the Corsair and the Hellcat.

Again a study in contrasts between American fighting machines and those of the Japs was given, as the Navy planes were followed by samples of enemy ships. First, and attracting the greatest attention, was a Jap suicide bomb, or Baka bomb. Then came the Jap Zeke and the Nip fighter, Jill. Kept under wraps at the Naval Air Station at Anacostia for months, these Jap war machines were trotted out for the world to see.

Also the public was given a chance to see Japanese ordnance, from the Bomb Disposal School, and a Japanese surrender sword from the battleship Missouri, kept for public attention from now on at the Naval Academy Museum.

Ending the column of march came Jap equipment, each piece labeled with its name and purpose.

Faster Than Planned

The parade moved faster than original plans called for. Due to arrive at the reviewing stand at 2:02 p. m., it made its appearance 15 minutes early. But the crowds, that had been waiting for up to two hours, didn't object.

After passing the stand the troops were formed in ranks on both sides. When the ceremonies were completed they marched in formation, with bands playing, to their transportation back to their bases. Most of the crowds waited for this unscheduled part of the show.

Proud Family of Admiral Nimitz Shares His Welcome



THEIR DAY, TOO—Mrs. Chester W. Nimitz, wife of the Admiral, and their three daughters review the parade at the Monument Grounds. Left to right are Miss Mary Nimitz, Miss Nancy Nimitz, Mrs. Nimitz and Mrs. James D. Lay

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command—Admirals Ernest J. King and William D. Leahy, Gen. Alexander A. Vandergift, commandant of the Marine Corps, and General of the Army George C. Marshall—had come in inconspicuously and taken seats on the Democratic side five rows back.

A few minutes later Mrs. Nimitz, trailed by her three daughters—Mary, Nancy and Mrs. James T. Lay—were escorted to the front row of the Speaker's gallery and seated.

With a deafening din ringing through the acoustically stuporous chamber, Nimitz stepped briskly down the aisle, smiling and nodding. Ahead of him were Sergeant at Arms of the Senate Wall Doxey, House Sergeant at Arms Kenneth Romney, and the official congressional reception committee—Senate Majority Leader Alben W. Barkley, Minority Leader Wallace White, Senate Naval Affairs Committee Chairman David I. Walsh (D., Mass.), House Majority Leader John McCormack, Minority Leader

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fer million persons gathered around the Washington Monument, he was to develop that theme. There he said with even more emphasis that the atomic bomb did not win the war against Japan, that from purely military standpoint it played no decisive part.

Praises United States Seapower

The Japanese, he said, had already sued for peace before the first atomic bomb was dropped on Hiroshima and before Russian entry into the war. This was not to minimize the awful power of atomic energy, but as a Navy man it was another argument for sea power. "The introduction of atomic power has given a new importance to sea power from the standpoint of our future welfare and security."

Washington had only just started to celebrate when the 60-year-old Admiral walked down the East steps of the Capitol through an inverted V of Marines, Navy and Coast Guard, and women. A regiment of midshipmen was waiting with a whooping Navy 4-N cheer.

Lining up for blocks behind the Capitol and getting restless to start was a parade featuring every branch of the Navy command, from midshipmen and marines to bluejackets and coast guardsmen, the Marine Corps' women reserve to Waves and Spars. On the Coast Guard sentry dogs were strutting at their leashes.

Tractors Tow Exhibits

Exhibits towed by tractors ranged from a captured Japanese suicide plane to Nimitz's own Helldivers, Hellcats, Avengers and Corsairs that chased the Japs, back home. Ahead of trucks bearing landing craft and 155-mm. howitzers were jeeps loaded with veterans of the Pacific campaign.

Signs on each jeep read like a list of their epic battles—Tarawa, Guadalcanal, Iwo Jima, Saipan, Okinawa, Coral Sea, Midway and the first and second Philippine battles.

At the head of the procession Admiral Nimitz took his seat in the lead car with Commissioner John Russell Young, Rear Admiral Forrest Sherman, deputy chief of staff to the Fleet admiral, and Comdr. H. A. Lamar.

On Padded Car Top

Admiral Ferdinand Reichsmuth, grand marshal, gave a signal and the parade was off through the showers of ticker tape and the grinning, cheering thousands packing the Constitution and Pennsylvania ave. line of march from curbstone to building line.

Nimitz, perched high on the folded car top, beamed from ear to ear. His gold-braided right arm returned salute for salute. As the cheers rose in volume, each salute wound up in a friendly wave to the crowd. From his other hand dan-

Byrnes, Bevin Blamed for Parley Failure

Moscow, Oct. 5 (AP)—Izvestia today accused Secretaries James F. Byrnes and Ernest Bevin of attempting to break the Potsdam agreements, adding that if the Western Allies persist in their stand it "will shake the very basis of collaboration among the three powers."

Any attempt to fix blame on Russia for disagreement at the London meeting is "an attempt to unload the guilt from a sick head to a healthy one," the newspaper said.

The "real reason" for the breakdown was the "different conception" of the Potsdam agreement held by Russia and the United States and Britain, Izvestia asserted.

The newspaper charged that when Byrnes and Bevin "insisted on France's participation in the drawing up of peace treaties with Romania, Bulgaria, Hungary and Finland, they thereby sought to break the Berlin (Potsdam) agreement."

(Byrnes said that the Potsdam agreement was understood by President Truman and Prime Minister Attlee to permit France and China to discuss the treaties, but not to vote on them.)

Declaring that "the seriousness of what happened in London cannot be underestimated," Izvestia said that the Soviet delegation to the council proposed that the meeting be extended for one more day to "make yet another effort to find a wise compromise" but that Byrnes "for some reason, categorically refused."

Montgomery Civic Group To Meet at Bethesda

The Montgomery County Civic Federation will meet in its first fall session Monday at 8 p. m. at the Bethesda, Md., elementary school. William B. Horne, president, will preside.

Committee chairmen who will present reports are Washington I. Cleveland, roads; Samuel Stonebraker, public utilities; and Allen Pay, storm sewer projects. A get-together to enable new members to become acquainted will follow the business meeting.

gled a pair of black gloves and he alternately waved these to the crowds on his left.

Urchins climbed trees off Constitution ave. to get a better look. Hundreds huddled atop buildings, peered from every window and even crowded the cornices of the Government buildings enroute.

The Hero of the Pacific Passes Under Banner of Welcome



Fire ladders make an arch on Pennsylvania ave. near Fourteenth st. and Nimitz rides beneath the sign "Well Done, Admiral!"

Capital Belonged to Nimitz



CITY EXPRESSES ITS GRATITUDE—Symbolic of the welcome that Fleet Admiral Nimitz received here yesterday is the key which he holds aloft for all to see. It was presented to him by Commissioner John Russell Young (left) during the celebration on the Monument Grounds

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firmed to the American people and the world that the vital sessions seeking to lay the groundwork for European peace had "closed in a stalemate."

Furthermore, he attributed the major part of the disagreement which split the council to Soviet suspicions that the Western Allies actually do not want governments in Bulgaria and Romania which are friendly to the Soviet Union.

"There could be no greater misconception of our attitude," Byrnes said, adding:

"The American Government shares the desire of the Soviet Union to have governments friendly to the Soviet Union in eastern and central Europe. But lasting peace depends not only upon friendship between governments, but on friendship between peoples."

Tells of Division

The issue which brought on the division in the council and caused it to fail to accomplish its purpose was whether France and China should participate in writing peace treaties for the Balkan nations.

Byrnes related that on September 11 the council, with Russia agreeing, decided that all five of the members—France and China as well as the Big Three—should attend the meetings.

Eleven days later, he said, Molotov suddenly took the position that this violated the Berlin Agreement which stated that peace treaties would be worked out only by the States which had signed armistice terms with the defeated countries. This meant in effect the Big Three for the Balkan countries.

Byrnes said that neither President Truman nor Prime Minister Attlee had understood that this Berlin decision meant that France and China could not discuss all treaty matters even though they might not sign the final proposals or treaties.

As a result of the disagreement, the United States finally proposed that the Big Three should do preparatory work on European peace treaties and thereafter submit their proposals to a general European peace conference of victor states.

It is this proposal which Russia has not rejected and which Byrnes hopes it will accept.

Wants "People's Peace"

"The United States is willing to dictate terms of peace to an enemy," Byrnes said, "but it is not willing to dictate terms of peace to its allies."

At another point he declared: "This has been a people's war and it must be a people's peace."

Emphasizing this point repeatedly Byrnes brought out by implication what may be very deep-rooted differences of approach between the United States and Britain on one hand and the Soviet Union on the other.

"The matter that caused the suspension of our work is no trivial or technical question," he said, "presented an issue that had to be met. It is whether the peace shall be made by three or even five nations to the exclusion of other nations vitally concerned in the maintenance and enforcement of the peace which is being prepared."

Issue Goes Deeper

"The issue goes even deeper," the Council of Foreign Ministers acts under the unanimity rule just as the Security Council of the United Nations must act in many important matters, but in the Security Council no nation has the veto power in procedural matters while in the council of foreign ministers one nation can veto action.

"The veto power is a great power and should not be lightly exercised. We are willing to make many concessions but the United States does not believe in an agreement at any price."

"The power of veto in procedural matters should not be used by the United States or any other nation to coerce the judgment and conscience of fellow nations."

"Peace must be based upon mutual understanding and mutual respect. It cannot be secured by procedural maneuverings which obscure from the people the real and vital issues upon which their peace depends."

Merging of Army, Navy Is Opposed By Senate Group

By the United Press

Members of a Senate judiciary subcommittee decided yesterday to go along with the House in refusing—at least for the present—to grant President Truman authority to merge the Army and Navy.

They wrote into the Senate version of a Government reorganization bill a provision which would prohibit the President from establishing new executive departments under the measure. The House passed its own bill Thursday after voting down an attempt to include provisions for an Army-Navy consolidation.

Both measures would empower Mr. Truman to regroup, whittle or abolish the bulk of nearly 100 executive agencies. Neither would give him all the power he asked but both provide reorganization authority far exceeding that granted the late President Roosevelt.

Mother's Faith Is Justified on Son's Birthday

Covington, Ky., Oct. 5 (AP)—Just as she did on the last three October fifths, Mrs. Bertha Reagan Bauer today kept vigil on her son's birthday—today's the twenty-ninth.

No, she hadn't lost all hope but her optimism had worn pretty thin—she was her airman son, Lieut. Cornelius L. Reagan, had been missing in action over Java, since February 25, 1942.

Before her morning chores were completed, a message from the War Department was delivered to Mrs. Bauer.

"Lieut. Cornelius Reagan . . . safe . . . Jap prisoner . . . alive and well . . . hospital in India . . . home soon," it read in part.

"It's the most wonderful news a mother could get," Mrs. Bauer thankfully declared.

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a microphone, explained that the Gold Star was in lieu of a third Distinguished Medal for Admiral Nimitz. Then he read the citation, which said that the decoration was for the admiral's exploits between June, 1944, and August, 1945, a period which saw his forces take the Marianas, Saipan, smash the Japanese fleet, and enter Tokyo Bay itself.

Admiral Nimitz, once the Gold Star was dangling from his broad chest, thanked President Truman for the honor, and said he was accepting it on behalf of the more than two million men who had fought under him in the Battle of the Pacific—not only Navy men, Marines and Coast Guardsmen, but also the Army forces that were under his command.

He said he accepted the medal, and also the President's "well done," as a tribute to the valor of all of them.

Everybody liked this, and the ceremony ended in a glow of mutual good feeling.

Annandale Citizens May Form Association

Organization of a citizens association for Annandale, Va., will be discussed at a mass meeting of the town's residents Monday night at 8 in the Annandale School.

The meeting will be addressed by Comdr. Paul D. Miller, president of the Hillwood Citizens Association.

How To Relieve Bronchitis

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel fern laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your doctor the brand name, Creomulsion, with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you will have your money back.

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14 Marines, Sailors Get Medals of Honor

Truman Drapes Highest Awards Around
Necks of Pacific Heroes at White House

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With an artificial right hand he saluted smartly. A moment later he shifted his cap to his left hand—also artificial—and stood at attention, alert and straight.

And when the President leaned over to hang the Medal of Honor around the neck of the Texas Marine, he whispered hoarsely: "I'm proud—very proud to have this chance to honor you."

President Truman had a clear twinkle in his eye when 17-year-old Jacklyn Lucas of Belhaven, N. C., dropped his solemn medal-receiving pose and smiled broadly when he shook hands.

Let's go forward together and win that fight and this war will not have been in vain.

Denfield Reads Citations
Vice Admiral Louis E. Denfield, chief of Navy personnel, read the citations for the deeds of heroism performed in Iwo Jima, Okinawa, the Marianas, Rabaul and the Korean coast.

Deeds Outlined
Here briefly are the men and the deeds for which they were honored by their country:

1. **Lieut. Col. Gregory Boyington**, 22, of Okinawa, Wash. Col. Boyington was cited for his heroism as commanding officer of Marine Fighting Squadron 214 in the Central Solomons area from June 12, 1943 to January 3, 1944.

of Fairmont, W. Va., was credited with being directly instrumental in the knocking out of one of the most fanatically defended Japanese strongpoints on Iwo.

Fought Japs Four Hours
Williams fought for four hours, working his way back and forth through enemy lines with a flame thrower to kill all the enemy in a pillbox.

Killed 50 Japs
Second Lieut. Arthur Jackson was awarded his Medal of Honor for his action on the Palau Islands when he was a private with the First Marine Division.

Fighting in the famous battle of Hill 382, McCarthy breeched the enemy lines and led an "aggressive charge which resulted in the capture of the ridge."

Had to Stoop Down
When the President stretched out to put the Medal of Honor around McCarthy's neck, the big Irishman had to stoop low.

Robert Eugene Bush, HA 1/c, USNR of Tacoma, Wash. The citation read in part: "For his conspicuous gallantry in administering aid to the fallen men of his company at Okinawa and at the same time, killing six of the enemy although he was seriously wounded."

Pvt. William D. Watson, 24, received his medal for: "Fighting furiously against the Japanese troops attacking with grenades and knee mortars, he stood fearlessly erect to cover the hostile entrenchments and hold a hill under savage fire for 15 minutes, killing 60 Japanese before his ammunition was exhausted and his platoon was able to join him."

Private Watson, who also saw action on Bougainville and Guam, listed in the Marine Corps at his home in Earl, Ark. He was evacuated from Iwo Jima after suffering a gunshot wound in the neck, March 2, 1945.

PHM 2/c George Edward Wahlen of Ogden, Utah, was decorated for his heroism and self-sacrifice in caring for Marine wounded on Iwo Jima. Painfully injured on February 26 by mortar shell Wahlen remained in the battlefield, advancing to the front lines to carry back to safety a wounded Marine.

Medal of Honor Winners



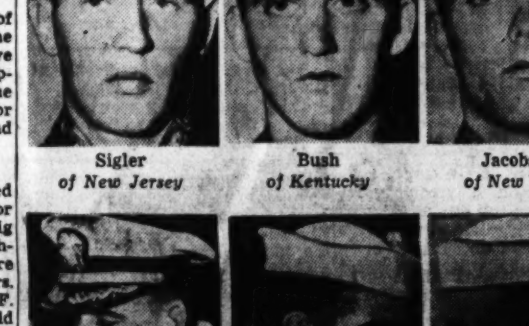
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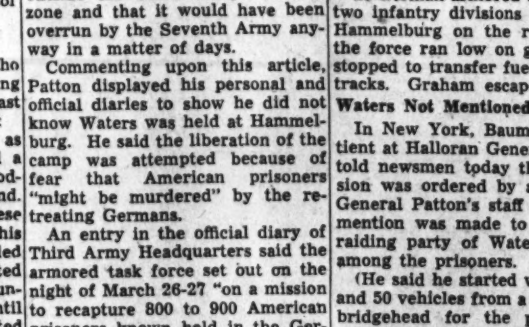
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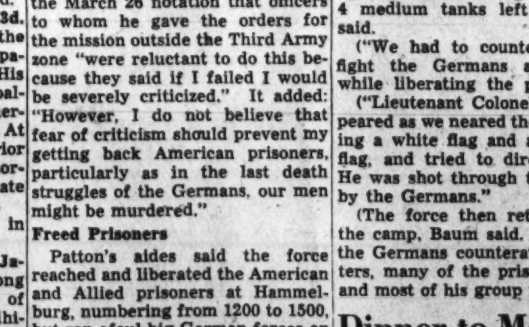
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force, thinking the whole Fourth Armored Division was trying to break through," he said, and the Nazi shift permitted Patton to slip his Army on to Leipzig. "I consider this (Hammelburg attack) to have been a brilliant combat maneuver, though it cost a lot of men."

Nimitz Speaks At Dinner of D. C. Citizens

The text of Admiral Nimitz's speech at a dinner last night follows:
I am deeply moved by the friendship and good wishes accorded to me by the people of Washington on this, one of the most memorable days of my life. The silver service is gratefully accepted by Mrs. Nimitz and me as a mark of your high esteem. We hope we will always be able to merit this esteem, and we thank you with all our hearts.

Today, for me, has been filled with high honors—first before Congress, on the grounds of the Washington Monument, then at the White House, and now at this brilliant gathering. In truth, however, I must admit that these honors were actually earned by an Army or Marine private first class named Smith, by a Navy or Coast Guard seaman second class named Jones, and by a shavetail or an ensign named Brown. It is my good fortune that I am actually here on the scene; and that you content yourself for the present with second choice by giving these honors to a sailor named Nimitz. Again I thank you, and in the name of all the officers and men with me, I have been privileged to serve in the Pacific War.

Thanks Officers, Men
Most important of all, I wish to record my personal thanks to the officers and men who fought the many battles and won the many victories throughout the Pacific Ocean area. Never has an officer been more fortunate in the quality of the men under his command.

These fighting men formed one of the hardest-hitting teams of sea, land and air power the world has ever known. Moving ever forward, often at heavy cost, they destroyed the Japanese navy, and merchant marine, helped shatter our enemy's air power, clamped a smothering blockade on his hungry people and destroyed vital targets along his coasts and in the great cities of his homeland.

What they achieved seems all the more remarkable when it is considered that 98 per cent of the officers and men serving in the Navy, Marine Corps and the Coast Guard were Reservists—a fact which I am sure is equally true of our great Army in the Pacific War.

Those fighting men—the Pacific were your loved ones—your sons and your brothers, your husbands and your fathers. To you who know them so well, it is unnecessary to explain that initially they were not professional fighting men. Yet they proved once again, as they have throughout our history, that the average American will always be willing to guard his freedom at the risk of his life.

Most of the citizen soldiers and sailors who fought in the Pacific now feel, and with complete justification, that they are through with war and fighting. Their one big question is: "When do I go home?" Many of you tonight also question the answer to that question, for you want your loved ones back with you.

The answer is that we are now preparing in the Pacific, at utmost speed, the largest invasion of this war. We hope it will be the last great invasion of all time, and we know that it will be the most successful and the least costly invasion in our history. That invasion is the proud and victorious return of our men to their own homes in the United States of America. And that is one military operation in which the invaders will be welcomed with open arms.

Like our other invasion, this is also a military operation; and when mounted on such a vast scale, such an operation takes a little time, but we can all be thankful that our men are now headed this way.

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Laval Cleared Of Organizing Vichy Regime

Paris, Oct. 5 (AP).—Pierre Laval today persuaded the French High Court of Justice trying him for treason to clear his record of legal responsibility for everything up to and including formation of the Vichy government by the National Assembly in 1940.

His lawyers meanwhile pleaded in vain for postponement of the trial in order to give Laval "the same rights that are being granted the monsters of Belsen at Lueneburg."

The swarthy former Vichy Premier won from the presiding judge and prosecutor a concession, "You will not be reproached" for his prewar record as a politician or statesman, or for complicity in the French armistice with Germany in 1940.

Cleared of Blame

Similarly he was cleared of legal blame for the constitutional law of 1940 delegating power to Marshal Petain and installing the Vichy regime, and for the designation of himself as Petain's eventual successor in the regime.

Using the same skill with which he won many a rough-and-tumble parliamentary debate, Laval argued each point at length until Judge Paul Mongibeaux or Prosecutor Andre Mornet assented.

Both Laval, given a second and final chance by Mongibeaux to restrain himself or be excluded from the hearings, and the court itself, chided by the French press for its conduct of the trial, were more restrained than at yesterday's tumultuous opening proceedings.

While Laval's tongue was as vitriolic as ever, he was tired from yesterday's strain.

The court for the third time overruled defense pleas for postponement.

In their pleas, two of Laval's three lawyers, at his side after deserting him yesterday, said the trial was "a unique opportunity to clarify four years of history."

How often, said Attorney Albert Naud, "we Frenchmen turn our eyes toward the countries across the Channel or the Atlantic to learn what real justice means. Why must we take lessons from abroad?"

Backed apparently by fellow attorneys massed in the rear of the court room, the lawyers charged they had been allowed to see less than 2 of every 10 documents in the case.

The court ruling admitted that the pretrial examination was inadequate, but said it had no power to reopen the examination and that additional information would have to come out in the trial itself.

Laval was harsh when his testimony touched on Petain.

In a confiding manner, Laval asked the court "do you want to hear a story?"

Then he told how he asked the marshal one day if he realized the extent of his power.

"You have more power than Louis XIV, for he (Louis) had to submit his decrees to Parliament for ratification," Laval said he told Petain.

The marshal, said Laval, "was so tickled with the story that a few days later, having forgotten that I told it to him, he retold me the same story."

Laval's comment was: "That was just like him—he was vain of his power."

Reds and Nazis Similar, Says Vatican Paper

Vatican City, Oct. 4 (AP).—L'Osservatore Romano declared today that communism and nazism were based on similar principles in which the state aimed to "de-Christianize" the citizens and impose "blasphemous" state religion.

"French laicism (emphasizing of the layman rather than the clergy), German racialism and bolshevism . . . constituted three attempts to impose state religion through open violence and fraud," the newspaper said.

"In France from 1880 to 1914, in Germany from 1935 to 1945 and in Russia since 1919, the most radical measures were adopted for the purpose of denying Christianity, especially Catholicism, all public liberty . . . and to replace the church and its teachings with obligatory teaching of the 'lay religion' as a sort of blasphemous teachings."

"The three systems have common fundamental points. Their doctrinal base and state idolatry."

The Thousands Look Up to the Symbols of Victory



The roar of planes above the marching and the watching hosts honoring Admiral Nimitz drew the eyes of a great throng skyward. Here is a section of the crowd at Pennsylvania ave. and Fourteenth st.

Sidelights of the Day At Reception for Nimitz

Capital Transit Co. lines on Pennsylvania ave., route of the parade, were delayed by the surging crowds a half hour both before and after the triumphant march.

Nearly everybody got to the parade on time, a survey of bus service in Washington and nearby Virginia indicated. The Pentagon was a scene of flurry for the first 30 minutes after the employees were dismissed at 12:30, but three Virginia bus lines providing rush-hour service reported they had been able to accommodate the crowd.

Every piece of available equipment was "rushed into action." Need for heavy duty service did not subside until two hours after the parade.

Jeers greeted the two shiny Jap samurai swords hanging from a fancy Japanese archway, mounted on one of the motorized units.

Admiral Nimitz's car had rolled but a hundred feet from the parade's starting point in front of the Capitol when a dozen Waves armed with private cameras begged the commander to pose for a picture.

He ordered the chauffeur to halt and beamed pleasantly at the girls who shouted vociferous thanks.

Washington school children presented huge chrysanthemum bouquets to the Admiral's wife and his three daughters, Mary and Nancy Nimitz and Mrs. Robert Lay, who sat together in the front row of the reviewing stand.

As the Coast Guard patrol marched by 15th and Constitution with their Doberman Pinscher and German Shepherd watchdogs, a woman confided to a policeman, "Isn't it too bad that all those Coast Guardsmen are blind and have to be led?"

"And there were tears in her eyes, too," the policeman said.

A sigh of relief went up from the crowds standing in front of Post Square when the upturned wings of four Navy planes, drawn by tractors, safely cleared the "Well Done, Admiral" banner.

stretched above the street. Naval personnel were seated in the cockpits of the Avenger, Hellcat and Helldiver. But an Army "stow-away" was smiling from the cockpit of the Corsair.

It was a practically paperless parade, the clean-up crews were happy to observe. Cleaner crews gave Pennsylvania ave. a quick brush and bath almost immediately after the column passed.

No navy blue sky greeted Admiral Nimitz yesterday. Instead the heavens were gray. Temperature was 64 degrees at 2 p. m., at the height of the parade.

This was a more formal crowd. It had shouted "Ike" at Eisenhower and "Skinny" at Wainwright, but there was no nickname to shout at the austere, white-dusted Nimitz. So they lifted their voices in plain, inarticulate cheers.

The steel framework laid down across the Monument Grounds for the benefit of motorized units was a Seabee landing strip, which the Navy uses to build jungle airfields.

He is the author of the current Illinois Medical Practice Act and has served on several Illinois health agencies. Including the Public Health Commission of Chicago, of which he was chairman for six years. He is a Mason and a member of the Bar Associations of Chicago and the District of Columbia.

Mason is married to a concert pianist, Rose d'Amore. Musicales at their home, 5117 Chevy Chase Parkway nw., have attracted a number of Congressmen. They have one daughter, 14-year Jimilit.

When the dwindling number of enemy planes doesn't provide enough targets for antiaircraft guns, work still goes on. The guns, simply lower their barrels and convert the guns to field artillery work.

President Truman has recommended an increase in the present 40-cent minimum. Walling agreed that an increase was desirable.

Unfavorable to Mandate

He questioned, however, the wisdom of a legislative mandate for a boost to 75 cents within two years as provided in a measure pending before the committee.

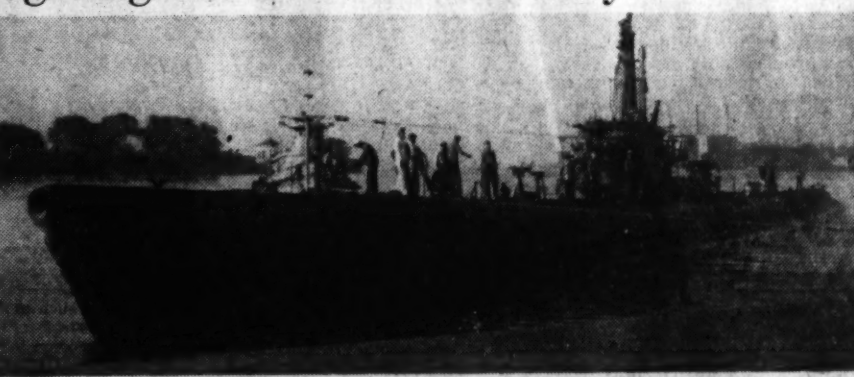
This bill sponsored by Senator Pepper (D., Fla.) and others, calls for a 65-cent minimum in the first year after enactment, 70 cents in the second year and 75 thereafter.

Walling said a 75-cent minimum would raise the "serious questions" as to the effect on prices, productivity, employment and profits.

More Satisfactory Means

"I believe that industry commit-

Fighting Sub on View at Navy Yard



PACIFIC VETERAN—The submarine Tirante with a score of 5 warships and 19 merchant ships sunk is docked at the Navy Yard in honor of Admiral Nimitz. The gallant sub, whose skipper, Comdr. George L. Street, was decorated yesterday with the Congressional Medal of Honor, may be seen today from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. and tomorrow from 9:30 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. and 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. Entrance is through the main Navy Yard gate, 8th and M sts. se.

Truman Names Lowell Mason To FTC Post

Lowell Blake Mason, 52, prominent lawyer of Chicago and Washington, has been named a Federal Trade Commission member by President Truman to fill the unexpired term of the late Col. Charles H. March.

A Republican, Mason figured in the news in 1934 when he served as counsel to the Senate Judiciary Subcommittee investigating the National Recovery Act. He also served as general counsel of the National Industrial Recovery Review Board, frequently called the Darrow Board after its chairman, Clarence Darrow.

Mason is the son of a former United States Senator from Illinois, the late Republican William E. Mason. He received an LL.B. degree from Northwestern University in 1914, was assistant corporation counsel for the city of Chicago in 1914, and served as a member of the Illinois State Senate from 1922 to 1930.

He is the author of the current Illinois Medical Practice Act and has served on several Illinois health agencies. Including the Public Health Commission of Chicago, of which he was chairman for six years. He is a Mason and a member of the Bar Associations of Chicago and the District of Columbia.

Mason is married to a concert pianist, Rose d'Amore. Musicales at their home, 5117 Chevy Chase Parkway nw., have attracted a number of Congressmen. They have one daughter, 14-year Jimilit.

When the dwindling number of enemy planes doesn't provide enough targets for antiaircraft guns, work still goes on. The guns, simply lower their barrels and convert the guns to field artillery work.

President Truman has recommended an increase in the present 40-cent minimum. Walling agreed that an increase was desirable.

Unfavorable to Mandate

He questioned, however, the wisdom of a legislative mandate for a boost to 75 cents within two years as provided in a measure pending before the committee.

This bill sponsored by Senator Pepper (D., Fla.) and others, calls for a 65-cent minimum in the first year after enactment, 70 cents in the second year and 75 thereafter.

Walling said a 75-cent minimum would raise the "serious questions" as to the effect on prices, productivity, employment and profits.

More Satisfactory Means

"I believe that industry commit-

Press, Radio Honored by Coast Guard

Representatives of the press, radio, still and moving picture services were awarded engraved certificates of appreciation by the Coast Guard yesterday at ceremonies at the National Press Club.

The presentations were made in honor of the cooperation given the Coast Guard in its job of informing the public of its wartime activities. Commodore Ellis Reed-Hill, chief of public information of USCG, made the awards.

Men representing the United Press, the Associated Press, and International News Service, as well as editors of Washington daily papers, managers of radio networks, and local radio stations, of five national newsreels, and editors of five military magazines received the certificates.

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Koreans Use Secret Ballot For First Time

Seoul, Korea, Oct. 5 (AP).—Koreans through an advisory council, today used the secret ballot for the first time in 35 years in selecting a member of the Korean government.

Maj. Gen. Archibald V. Arnold, commander of United States occupation forces in Korea, said the newly created Korean advisory council, composed of 11 Korean leaders, selected by ballot a governor for Kyang-Kido Province, in which Seoul is located, from among six candidates submitted by Arnold.

The man selected is Paik Nam Hoon, well known Korean industrialist, described by Arnold as "patriotic and above self interest."

The Koreans will look Paik over and judge his efficiency, Arnold said, "and if he is an able man he will be named governor by official edict."

Arnold said the advisory council would recommend all major appointments to him. It is to be the "nucleus of democracy in Korea. From my point of view it is the biggest development in nearly a month's occupation."

More than 700 Japanese in high government positions plus a number of small fry have been fired since the occupation began September 8, Arnold said. Between 200 and 300 Japanese in the bureau of communications will be dismissed within the next two days.

When Eisenhower leaves, he will take with him Ambassador Robert Murphy, State Department career diplomat who has been Eisenhower's political adviser since the invasion of North Africa.

The same source stated that Gen. Joseph T. McNarney is expected to succeed Eisenhower as supreme commander of the United States forces in Europe and the Pacific.

Two other candidates mentioned to succeed Eisenhower are Maj. Gen. Lucius D. Clay, Eisenhower's deputy for the military government and Gen. Mark Wayne Clark, commander of United States forces in Austria and member of the Austrian Control Commission.

Clay is expected to go home "on furlough" within the next fortnight. At the same time, it is expected that he will find out what his chances may be to become Eisenhower's successor.

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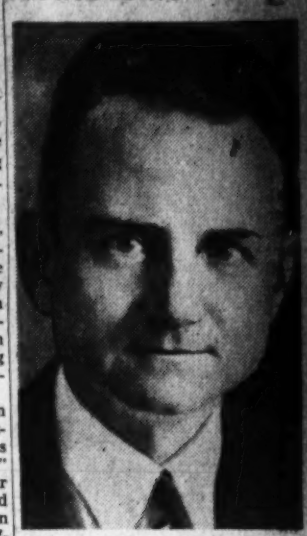
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Named White House Aide



RICHMOND B. KEECH, corporation counsel for the District for the last five years and former people's counsel, who yesterday was appointed an administrative assistant to President Truman.

Maryland PSC Grants Permits To 3 Airlines

Baltimore, Oct. 5 (AP).—The Public Service Commission granted permission today to three Maryland airlines to conduct scheduled intrastate operations over non-overlapping routes.

The PSC stipulated that operations would have to start within six months.

Only the Red Star Motor Coach, Inc., secured almost the entire scheduled for which it applied. It was authorized to operate from Baltimore to Easton, Salisbury, and Ocean City.

Columbia Airlines Inc. received a route between Baltimore, Cumberland, and Hagerstown.

Pan-Maryland Airways, Inc., was authorized to fly between Baltimore, Annapolis, Easton, Cambridge, Crisfield, Chestertown, Westminister, Frederick, College Park, Havre de Grace, Bel Air, Centerville and Brandywine.

Pan-Maryland plans to use single-engine, three-passenger Taylorcraft planes and to charge 6 cents a passenger mile; Columbia will use 10-passenger Boeings at 10 cents per passenger mile; and Red Star will use twin-engine, five-passenger Beechcraft, charging 10 cents a mile.

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War Dogs March in Navy Demonstration of Fighting Might



Canine sentries walk with their handlers along Pennsylvania ave. as part of the Navy's show of what won the war in the Pacific

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The Federal Diary

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Droves of Government Workers Quitting Jobs

TREND: Federal workers here are quitting in droves. It's estimated that more employees have resigned voluntarily since V-J day than the number of new ones hired. The number of federal employees in the Washington area has been reduced by more than 100,000 since the war. The Federal Bureau of Investigation, for example, has lost more than 100,000 men since the war. The Federal Bureau of Investigation, for example, has lost more than 100,000 men since the war. The Federal Bureau of Investigation, for example, has lost more than 100,000 men since the war.

Phone Service Paralyzed in 10 Va. Cities

Richmond, Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—Telephone workers throughout Virginia joined in a nationwide 4-hour work stoppage this afternoon by members of the Federation of Telephone Workers.

The stoppage came at 2 p. m., according to a previously announced plan, when an estimated 4000 telephone company members of the Virginia Local, No. 33, went into 22 meetings represented by telephone workers from 30 cities and towns throughout the State.

The union move, a gesture which swept the nation in protest against a National Labor Relations Board trial examiner's report which telephone workers say is intended to squeeze out an employee union at Kearney, N. J., in favor of a rival CIO union, crippled telephone service throughout Virginia.

The stoppage virtually paralyzed service in cities and towns of Virginia where the manual telephone system is employed. They included Danville, Fredericksburg, Lynchburg, Petersburg, Portsmouth, Staunton, Virginia Beach, Williamsburg, Norton and Suffolk.

Cities having the dial system, including Richmond, Alexandria, Hampton, Hopewell, Newport News, Norfolk, Pulaski, Radford, Roanoke and Winchester, were more fortunate, as local calls went on uninterrupted. However, long distance service was reduced to a critical low, and only emergency calls were put through. During the period, the telephone company requested others to make their calls after 6 p. m.

The Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. of Virginia, which like other telephone companies had made arrangements to maintain a limited service during the emergency, reported that the public appeared to be "cooperating" during the four-hour period in that the traffic load of long distance telephone calls was at a minimum.

Navy Wife, Man Found Shot in Baltimore Home

Baltimore, Oct. 5 (AP).—Mrs. Rebecca Edalls, 23-year-old navy wife, and Norris Shaffer, about 30, of Max Meadows, Va., were in critical condition today from bullet wounds. Patrolmen Joseph Kus and George Sigel reported.

The patrolmen said the gun which wounded Mrs. Edalls in the back and Shaffer in the temple was found in the man's hand. The couple was found in Mrs. Edalls' home, the officers said.

Police said the young woman told them that Shaffer fired two shots at her as she returned to her house this morning.

Mrs. Edalls' husband is in a naval hospital at Shomaker, Calif., the patrolmen said.

Memorial Hospital Planned in Worcester

Berlin, Md., Oct. 5 (AP).—Plans to build the \$350,000 Worcester Memorial Hospital to honor men and women who served in World War II, have been undertaken by the Berlin-Ocean City Lions Club with the backing of other groups.

Present plans call for a hospital to accommodate 70 patients, with a staff of 15 physicians, to be built on a site in northern Worcester.

The memorial hospital will serve the towns of Newark, Berlin, Whaleyville, Bishopville, Ocean City and Shovel in Maryland and Selbyville and Frankford in Delaware.

100F Pilgrimage To Hear Senator Wiley

Frederick, Md., Oct. 5 (AP).—United States Senator Alexander Wiley, Wisconsin, will make the principal address Sunday at the nineteenth annual pilgrimage and homecoming at the Maryland Independent Order of Odd Fellows Home, near Frederick. Several thousand members of the order and friends are expected to attend the combined religious and musical program from all sections of the State.

Martinsburg 'Queen of Charm,' Runners-up



CROWNED AT REVUE—Sarah Ann Miles (center), daughter of a bank cashier, was chosen "Queen of Charm" by three judges from a field of 86 contestants, all high school girls in Martinsburg, W. Va. Runners-up (left to right) included: June Strobinger, Marlene Cole, Miss Miles, the queen; Ruth Leith and Mae Caskey

Albert Dudley Va. Publisher Foresees South Area Banker

Baltimore, Oct. 5 (AP).—Albert H. Dudley, 60, native Virginian, who had a long career in banking, including nine years as managing director of the Baltimore branch of the Federal Reserve Bank, Richmond District, died last night in a Baltimore hospital.

Born in Franklin County, Va., Dudley started his banking career with the Farmers Bank of Martinsville, Va., later went to the National Exchange Bank at Roanoke, Va., and in 1916 went to the Federal Reserve Bank at Richmond.

After his service with the Federal Reserve System, he became president of the Old Title Guarantee & Trust Co. of Baltimore. When he retired in 1940 he was a review examiner for the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation in Washington.

His widow, a daughter, Mrs. James T. Davidson of Bedford, Va., and two sons in the Navy survive. C. H. Walton

Two Die, 3 Hurt In Caroline Area Series of Mishaps

Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—Two persons are dead and three others injured in a series of accidents in Caroline County yesterday.

Leon Mayfield, 35, Negro, was killed instantly when a truck he was driving swerved from Route 207 near McDuff and turned over. Everett Berry, 27, Negro, of Wrightsville, drowned when he fell from a boat while fishing in Smoot's pond. His body was found after a four-hour search.

Mrs. Edythe Beasley was struck by a hit-and-run driver as she walked on a road near her home near Milford. She suffered leg hurts. Stuart Wright, a linesman, was gavelly burned while working on a power line near Bowling Green.

Va. Registration Deadline Today

Richmond, Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—Voters in Virginia, especially discharged service personnel, have been warned by the State registrars that tomorrow is the deadline for the registration of voters who wish to participate in the general election November 6.

Under the law, registration books close 30 days before the date of election. Discharged service men and women may register without having paid the poll tax, but civilians must have paid their poll taxes prior to last May 5, to be eligible. Persons who have become 21 since January 1 may register without having paid the tax.

Two-County Baptists To Meet Tomorrow

Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—The Baptist Training Union of King George and Westmoreland Counties will hold their annual convention at Oak Grove Baptist Church Sunday. The theme will be "Free Churches Teach Men to Be Free."

The Rev. E. J. Wright will deliver the annual sermon at the morning session beginning at 11 o'clock. Addresses by Mrs. Grace Jett, Leader Underwood and a State worker will feature the afternoon session. Mr. H. Clift is president of the two-county group.

Surprise Fete Marks 59th Wedding Year

Shepherdstown, W. Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—Mr. and Mrs. William Tennant celebrated their fifty-ninth wedding anniversary at their home here today with a surprise to them, by the Lydia Bible Class of the Methodist Sunday School. Two wedding cakes were presented to them, one by the class and the other by the local chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Maryland Set On \$8,500,000 Road Projects

Annapolis, Md., Oct. 5 (AP).—State road projects totaling \$8,500,000 are ready for submission to the Public Roads Administration under the Federal Aid Highway Act just passed by Congress.

Governor O'Connor made his announcement that Maryland was ready to qualify for Federal road funds yesterday after a conference with Chairman Ezra B. Whitman of the State Roads Commission. Earlier he had conferred with Washington officials on the projects.

He estimated that \$1,800,000 will be available to Maryland under the new statute, including \$1,170,000 for State roads and the remainder for county highways.

Included among the projects to be submitted to the PRA are: Hagerstown-Frederick rd., Easton bypass, Elkton to Chesapeake City, Sandy Point Bridge and approaches; Halethorpe - Arbutus grade-crossing elimination; Silver Spring grade-crossing elimination; Westminster-Beltsville rd., Spots Creek Bridge, Cordova rd., Queens Chapel-Ager rd., and the Big Milla to Vienna hwy.

Besides Federal aid on actual construction, funds are available for engineering purposes and for one-third of the right-of-way costs.

State Mineral Output Value Sets New Peak

Richmond, Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—Virginia's mineral industries in 1944 broke all previous records in production value, including the record output of 1943, Dr. Arthur Bevan, State geologist of the State Commission, announced today.

Mineral raw materials produced in 1944 had a value of \$88,553,000, an approximate increase of \$3,000,000 as compared with 1943, Dr. Bevan said. This is the value of mineral resources mined and quarried in the State before being processed in the many plants or markets, the State geologist explained.

Revised figures show that the total value for 1943 was \$75,757,000, more than the previous record. Coal had the greatest production value in both years, according to Dr. Bevan.

The output from mines and quarries ranked Virginia as nineteenth in the Nation, the geologist said. This, he said, is regarded as a high ranking in view of the fact that many States have a high production of petroleum and natural gas, which are derived in minor amounts only from Virginia. More over, Dr. Bevan added, some of the States produce large quantities of several metals. Zinc is the only important metal produced in Virginia.

New Berryville School Planned

Berryville, Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—The Clarke County Board of Supervisors have under consideration a proposal of the school board to erect a new school plant in the city at an estimated cost of \$125,000.

Tentative plans call for a 10-room plant, including lunchroom facilities, to be used to house the first four grades and relieve congestion.

The board has asked that an emergency levy of 15 cents on the \$100 assessed valuation, which will not be needed for teacher salaries, be allowed to stand and that the outstanding indebtedness of the school be financed without an increase in the tax levy for the purpose of building the new school.

Court Annuls Marriage Of 15-Year-Old Girl

Charles Town, W. Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—Rita Hutson Whitehair of this county was awarded annulment of her marriage to John Whitehair in Circuit Court here today. The girl was only 15 when married and would have required the consent of her parents, which was not produced.

The couple was married in Hagerstown, Md., on September 14, 1945. Whitehair, it was stated, in applying for the license told the clerk the girl was 18 and therefore did not require consent of the parents.

10-lb. Cabbage Head Shown in Winchester

Winchester, Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—The abnormal rains here this summer have resulted in some freak products. Latest to go on public display is a 10-pound head of cabbage, 36 inches in circumference, raised by Pat Dunn. Also a 4-pound 10-ounce sweet potato by C. J. Halterman.

\$583 Bounties Paid

Winchester, Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—The Winchester-Frederick County Game and Fish Association in cooperation with the Frederick County Board of Supervisors has paid out a total of \$583.75 in bounties since July 13, 1945. The bounties were paid for 31 red foxes, 82 gray foxes and 31 hawks.

Liberated Dutch Indies Chief's Wife On Way to Md.

Baltimore, Oct. 5 (AP).—The wife of the Governor General of the Netherlands East Indies, Mrs. A. Tjarda van Starkenborgh Stachouwer, formerly of Baltimore, was en route to the United States today after being released from a Japanese prison camp in Batavia, Java.

Mrs. van Starkenborgh Stachouwer, accompanied by her 21-year-old daughter, Christina, left Batavia by plane. Both have been in internment since early in 1942.

The governor general's wife is expected to come directly to Baltimore upon arriving in this country to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Marburg of Baltimore.

Later she and her daughter plan to rejoin the governor, who was flown directly to his homeland after release from the Manchurian prison camp recently.

A brother, F. Granger Marburg of Lutherville, Md., said his sister had not seen her husband since about February, 1942, when the governor joined the Netherlands East Indies army to fight the Japanese.

The governor general and the Baltimore-born girl, whose father was formerly American Minister to Belgium, were married in Baltimore in 1915. The couple has another daughter now in England.

Board Plans Improvements At Monticello

Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—An improvement program, expected to cost upward of \$50,000, has been approved for Monticello, by officials of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Foundation in an effort to make the mountain-top home of the third President of the United States more attractive to postwar tourists.

The major steps to be taken under the program, agreed upon at a meeting here of Foundation President Frank K. Houston, of New York; William S. Hildreth of Charlottesville, secretary-treasurer; and Winston Taliaferro, assistant-treasurer, call for the furnishing and opening of the second floor of the home and the erection of a new entrance and gift shop.

Fiske Kimball of Philadelphia, chairman of the foundation's restoration committee, participated in preliminary discussions leading up to the adoption of the plan.

The second floor, closed to the public at present, will be provided with French furniture similar to that placed there by Jefferson and purchased by the author of the Declaration of Independence while he was United States Ambassador to France.

The foundation will expend \$7500 a year for three years to purchase copies of the Jefferson furniture under the direction of Mr. Kimball, who has secured the services of French authors and antiquaries who will locate the desired pieces in France.

The gift shop will be combined with a new entrance to be located about 30 feet from the present entrance. The structure will perpetuate the romantic gift-giving from the house proper, there by tending to restore the mansion to its original atmosphere.

A new road approaching the entrance will come up from the Charlottesville side of the mountain, with the exit roadway leading around the west side of the mountain over the first roundabout. Costs of the gift shop and the new roadways will probably approach \$25,000.

Ecton to Head State Firemen

Hagerstown, Md., Oct. 5 (AP).—William Ecton of Hagerstown became president today of the Maryland State Firemen's Association.

Ecton succeeds Philip Ryan of Mount Rainier and was named at the fifty-third annual convention held here today.

Other officers chosen were first vice president, J. Franklin Stevens, Annapolis; second vice president, Griffin McCormick, Baltimore; treasurer, William A. Wilson, Midland; secretary, E. E. Benson, selected, Lutherville; chaplain, the Rev. James W. Minter, reelected, and member of the board of trustees, Leo M. Moore, reelected, Havre de Grace.

The group chose Frederick as next year's convention city and awarded the George W. Coburn Cup, annual award for an outstanding act of life-saving, to Capt. George C. Arnold of the Glen Echo Fire Department for the rescue of two boys marooned on a rock in the Potomac River near Great Falls.

Manassas Paper Gets New Editor

Manassas, Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—Capt. Marshall Johnson has accepted the position as editor of the weekly Manassas Journal and took over his duties today, succeeding Mrs. William Harrison Lamb, who will remain on the staff.

The Journal recently was purchased by the Prince William Publishing Co., after having been owned and edited by the late W. H. Lamb for approximately 18 years.

Following Mr. Lamb's death two years ago, his widow took over the editorship and has continued as editor since the paper was sold.

Captain Johnson, 24, returned from overseas last December with 55 missions to his credit after 11 months of duty with the Air Corps in the European theater. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wheatley M. Johnson of Clover Hill Farm, Manassas, and is a graduate of the Osbourne High School here. He studied journalism at Washington and Lee University, Lexington, and later worked on the Lynchburg papers before entering the service.

Trucker Fined In Fatal Mishap

Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—Roy C. Randall, 41-year-old Gastonia, N. C., truck driver, was found guilty of manslaughter by a Stafford Circuit Court jury yesterday and was fined \$500.

Randall was the operator of a Howard Motor Lines truck which collided with an automobile on Route 12 miles north of here on Route 1, August 18, causing the deaths of Mrs. Una Webb, 48, of Norfolk, and her son, Lloyd R. Randall was tried yesterday on the indictment charging him with the death of the boy.

He was bonded for his appearance in November to face trial in the death of Mrs. Webb.

Martinsburg Prepares For Truman Visit

Martinsburg, W. Va., Oct. 5 (AP).—Military police from the Army's Newton D. Baker Hospital here will aid State troopers and other officers in handling the overflow of troops expected tomorrow when President Truman pays Martinsburg a brief visit.

Plans for the reception of the Nation's Chief Executive began to take form today after it was announced at Washington that the President had accepted an invitation to visit Martinsburg.

Randolph (D. W. Va.) to speak between 1 and 1:30 p. m. at the city's municipal airport.

Mr. Truman will board his plane here after attending the wedding of former Senator Bennett Champ Clark of Missouri and Violet Heming, British actress, at nearby Berryville, Va.

After his address the President will go to the Midwest.

THE BIGGEST SHOW IN TOWN

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Dear old OH!

Oh, dear, must you go? I'll put on the light...

Oscar! That closet! Who?

It was a REAL one, Swami! The joint's HAUNTED!

Global Flight Completed in 6 Days, 5 Hours

From Yesterday's Late Editions
A gleaming silver plane with a jagged red streak of lightning painted along its fuselage, and "Globe" lettered on its nose put down at National Airport last night just 6 days, 5 hours and 43 minutes after a take-off here last Friday.

It was 9:42 p. m. The landing ended the first of the Air Transport Command's regular globe-circling flights to leave the Nation's Capital every Friday.

Eight passengers made the entire flight. Five were Army personnel, headed by Col. Major S. W. White, of Arlington, Va., chief flight surgeon for ATC. He studied adaptability and flight reaction of all eight, including himself, to the longest scheduled flight ATC has yet flown.

Three newspaper writers volunteered to go along, and incidentally, to sleep in adjustable seats, or on air-filled mattresses in the aisles between the 40 seats. They were Mrs. Inez Robb, of International News Service, Fred Othman, of United Press, and Paul Miller, of Associated Press.

Altogether, the five planes used on the flight carried about 100 passengers including 18 released POW from Japan. Twelve flight crews manned the controls in shifts on the 23,278-mile trip.

Purpose of the round-the-world schedule, according to Army officials, is to fill in the China-Philippines-Honolulu gap in regular ATC flight schedules. During the war only emergency flights were made on these hops, and ATC never announced when they would be made.

Safety, not speed, is first consideration of the Globes flights, it was emphasized. No records are sought, and when the first flight ended ATC was happy to announce that three hours and 38 minutes had been saved from the hoped-for 120 hours of actual flying time.

Only real thrill, the reporters said, was when an engine went dead after flying over the Pacific from Guam. This Globes, No. 4 in the chain, turned back to Guam, and a new ship took off in a few minutes.

Regular tests, including pulse and temperature, were made of every one of the original eight Globes passengers. They were not over until everyone had been rounded up for a post-flight examination by Colonel White last night. Every one came through well, he said. Mrs. Robb said she had a slight cold in the head.

Except for the greeting cheers of the crowd of about 700, and the flood-lights and flashing camera bulbs, it was another routine flight for ATC. And the fare is only \$2,650.15 including tax.

CIO Requests D. C. Backing Of 9-Point Plan

From Yesterday's Late Editions
A delegation of local CIO representatives appeared before the District Commissioners yesterday to urge public municipal backing for nine objectives listed by the group.

Led by Henry Beitscher, president of the District Council, United Federal Workers of America, and Robert Sherman, president of the Washington Industrial Union Council, the delegation asked the commissioners to support:

Return of a central hiring system by the Civil Service Commission so that ousted Federal workers and vacancies in other Government agencies can be brought together through a single hiring agent.

Unemployment compensation at the rate of \$25 a week for 26 weeks, a 65 cent an hour minimum wage, a 20 per cent pay increase for Federal workers, a permanent Fair Employment Practices Committee, continued price controls and continued child care service for working mothers.

The commissioners were urged to oppose publicly the District alum clearance bill on the ground that relief is provided for the lowest 15 per cent in income and the highest 30 per cent but nothing is suggested for the vast majority in the middle income brackets.

No action on the proposal was taken yesterday by the municipal heads.

Police Raid Coffee Shop, 2 Poolrooms

From Yesterday's Late Editions
Two poolrooms and a coffee shop which had been raided six times previously were raided yesterday by members of Inspector Oscar J. Lettermann's anti-gambling squad.

Patrick Kinney, 42, 1112 Oates st. ne., and Charles Unkle, 43, 701 Portland st. se., were charged with operating a lottery and possession of lottery slips after a raid on a poolroom at 903 2d st. ne. Both were released under \$1,500 bond and will appear at a hearing October 10. An additional charge of setting up a gaming table was placed against Kinney.

In the seventh raid at a coffee shop on the second floor of 509 G st. nw., police arrested Thomas S. Pappas, 52, of 1228 Massachusetts ave. se., and charged him with permitting gaming. He was released under \$500 bond.

Wilford Crump, 45, of 1235 E st., charged with setting up a gaming table, and William Smith, 62, of 715 G st. nw., charged with permitting gaming, were arrested in a raid on a poolroom at 915 9th st. nw. yesterday. Crump was released on \$1,500 bond and Smith on \$500 bond.

Cars Overturned at Movie Studio Gate



STRIKERS LINE GATE—Three automobiles lie on their sides while pickets mill about the entrance to the Warner Brothers motion picture studio in Burbank, Calif., after the clash yesterday between pickets, police and deputy sheriffs in the eight-month-old strike.

New Architect May Study Site For Academy

From Yesterday's Late Editions
The House Naval Affairs Committee may call a third architect to advise differences of opinion on the land acquisition program of the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Chairman Carl Vinson (D., Ga.) adjourned the third day of hearings yesterday with the announcement that the group will decide the issue on the land acquisition program of the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Vinson seemed predisposed to favor the suggestion of Witness Richard F. Cleveland, secretary of the board of visitors and governors of St. John's, to appoint "one man" to study the whole picture, and said it "might be a good idea."

Cleveland made the suggestion because of the difference in opinion between Vice Admiral Ben Moreell, chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, and J. R. Edmunds, Jr., president of the American Institute of Architects.

Admiral Moreell said that the academy can expand its facilities only by acquiring St. John's. Edmunds, whose organization has adopted a resolution against such action, testified the Academy could use the present Lawrence Field to one side of it, and other sites in the near neighborhood.

The committee lapsed into a humorous argument with two witnesses during the hearing on the question of "How old is old?" Mrs. Ruth White, lifelong citizen of Annapolis, who exclaimed the college buildings were a "joy to the eye and a glory to the soul" set it off by her declaration of the college's extreme age and tradition.

Representative James W. Mott (R., Ore.) reminded her that the college grounds had undergone change since the institution was founded, and wanted to know from which date she had figured the "tradition."

He later insisted upon inserting in the record some facts he remembered about the venerableness of Columbia University, where he obtained a degree.

Louise Magnuder, a professional record searcher, stepped into the breach by revealing that St. John's could lay a claim to antiquity that goes back to 1694, the founding date of St. William's School, with which St. John's was consolidated a century later.

Insects have killed more men than all the wars in history put together.

Bicycle for One Good for Two



Associated Press Photo

IN TOKYO—Transportation facilities are poor in Tokyo, but American Red Cross worker Susan Tate of 9408 St. Andrews Way, Silver Spring, Md., solves the problem by riding on a single seat bicycle with Harold J. Vertress, seaman 2/c, of Louisville, Ky.

Rev. Oelschlager Joins Grace Church

The Rev. Karl Oelschlager of Los Angeles, Calif., tomorrow will begin his duties as assistant pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, 16th and Varnum sts. nw.

He is a graduate of Capital University, Columbus, Ohio, and has studied two years in the theological seminary there. He will be guest of honor and speaker at a fellowship supper tomorrow at 6:30 p. m., sponsored by the Senior Lutheran League, with members of Faith and St. Matthew's Churches as guests.

Prior to the invention of spectacles about five centuries ago, very little was known about light.

Japanese Reds See No Liberty With Hirohito

Tokyo, Oct. 4 (U.P.)—Emperor Hirohito must be executed, exiled or retired before Japan can become a democracy, three Japanese Communist leaders said today in Fuchu prison where they are awaiting liberation after 16 to 18 years imprisonment.

"Militarism, bureaucracy and the rulership of our moneyed interest rests solely on the antiquated monarchy," said Kyuichi Tokuda, 51-year-old attorney who helped found the Japanese Communist Party July 15, 1922. He has been in jail almost constantly since 1923.

"The Emperor must go before Japan can even begin to fulfill the terms of the Potsdam declaration. The present imperial government is constitutionally unable to convert Japan into what the United Nations demand," Tokuda said.

With him in this show-place prison were Yoshio Shiga, 44, former editor in chief of Marxism, the official party organ, proletarian Editor Musinsha Shimbu and Shiro Yamamura, 49, former chief of the party's organization bureau.

During the last few days they had had increased privileges and will be released as soon as the Allied authorities investigate them.

Coffee Backs 'Welcoming' Fund for D. C.

A proposed "welcome to Washington" fund in the District budget for use in entertaining returning war heroes and other distinguished guests was given the stamp of approval yesterday by Representative John C. Coffee (D., Wash.) on the eve of "Nimitz Day."

Coffee, who is chairman of the House District Appropriations Subcommittee, said many major cities have similar funds, and pointed out that Washington as the welcome capital of the world was especially in need of such a provision.

He commended the District government for the city's past performance in receiving such heroes as General Eisenhower and Wainwright, and said many private parties had contributed generously from their own pockets to help make the fetes a success.

The District Commissioners last week sent to the Budget Bureau their request for an annual \$25,000 appropriation to fill this need.

Pearl of Asia, Found Again, Is Up for Sale

Paris, Oct. 5 (U.P.)—The world's largest pearl, the fabulous 605-grain "Pearl of Asia," was up for sale today with a \$500,000 price tag.

The whereabouts of the pearl had been a mystery since it was stolen from the French Board of Foreign Missions more than a year ago.

Today, the board disclosed the gem had been found again—hidden in the drainpipe of a toilet in a cheap Marseille rooming-house.

The pearl was found in the Gulf of Persia in 1928. From there it traveled to China, where it remained in the tomb of the Chinese Emperor Chien Lung-kung.

During the Boxer Rebellion the tomb was rifled and the stone vanished for a generation, only to turn up again in the hands of a Chinese mandarin who sold it to a French missionary, who later gave it to the French Missionary Society.

In April, 1944, a remarkable pair of allegedly patriotic French thieves, Yvon Colette and his wife, learned that the society had turned the gem over to a group of experts for appraisal.

Paris police say Colette recruited three accomplices, disguised his gang as Nazi SS men, and "raided" the room where the pearl was being examined.

Colette is due to be tried for the theft next month, but for the moment he is roaming the streets of Paris as a free man and proclaiming himself secretary of a group called "The Original French Resistance Movement."

His wife told police he took the pearl as a patriotic gesture to keep it from falling into the hands of Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering.

GI Reported Missing, Killed On Same Day

From Yesterday's Late Editions
Sergeant William H. Landers, 35-year-old infantryman reported missing January 13, was killed in France at that time, the War Department has notified his wife, Mrs. Leila M. Landers, 1230 New Hampshire ave. nw.

Mrs. Landers learned from a member of his outfit, the Seventy-ninth Division, that he was killed by machinegun fire when the group was attempting to capture a fortified church in Rittershoffen, France. He died in the church and was later buried in a military cemetery in Germany.

Sergeant Landers left for overseas in April, 1944 and was wounded July 5 of that year, but returned to duty the following September. Before he entered the service in September 1943, he was employed in the finance section of the Bureau of Ships.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a son, Kenneth Dwight, 20 months, whom Sergeant Landers saw for the first and last time at the age of 2 months; his mother, Mrs. Cora Landers, Kansas City, Mo.; and two brothers, Lieut. Dalton and PhM 1/c Dennis Landers.

D. C. Schools To Get U. S. Lunch Subsidy

From Yesterday's Late Editions
More District school children will receive subsidized hot lunches and penny milk under the Agriculture Department program this winter, it was learned yesterday.

Phelps Vocational School for Negroes now is revising its lunchroom menus preparatory to putting in the lunch program for 150 vocational students by November 1. Young elementary school pupils are expected to make use of the facilities at Phelps School.

Under the program, children receive a meal of two vegetables, milk, fruit and bread and butter for about 15 cents. The Agriculture Department pays 9 cents to schools for each lunch of this type served.

At the same time, Harry M. Gardner, supervisor, now is applying for an Agriculture Department subsidy to add 2500 more bottles of penny milk to the mid-morning snacks served in elementary schools.

A total of 14,000 pupils already receive penny milk here. The Agriculture Department pays 2 cents on each bottle, and the District government less than 1 cent.

Agriculture Department's "nutritious lunches" are served 200 pupils at Jefferson Junior High School and 350 children from five elementary schools and Washington Vocational High School, at the vocational school, and about 200 at Adams Elementary School.

Senate Group Angry, Holds Up Braden Approval

From Yesterday's Late Editions
Confirmation of Spruille Braden as Assistant Secretary of State on Latin American Affairs has been held up by an angry Senate Foreign Relations Committee, it was learned yesterday, because he and Dean Acheson, Acting Secretary of State, appeared on Capitol Hill Wednesday to consult the committee on postponement of the Inter-American Conference on Peace and Security when they already had placed the diplomatic machinery in motion to this end.

The first major university to recognize women as students on an equal basis with men was the University of Chicago.

Boy, 16, Admits Killing Cousin, 3 1/2, With Rifle

Greenville, Ill., Oct. 4 (U.P.)—A. M. Keith, Bond County coroner, said today Frank Bryson, 16-year-old farm boy, had voluntarily signed a confession that he killed his little cousin, Connie Janet Rench, 3 1/2, and attempted to kill her brother, Jole, 5, with a single bullet to "get even" with the children's father.

Dr. Keith said the youth, who had lived on the Rench farm eight years, calmly related that he stood the girl in front of her brother behind a barn, last Wednesday, stepped back 30 paces and fired a single bullet into Connie's chest in an attempt to kill both children.

The spent bullet bored through Jole's coat and shirt, but inflicted only a minor skin puncture in the abdomen. The girl, however, died instantly, Dr. Keith said. He said a murder charge would be filed against the youth.

Dr. Keith said Bryson declined to elaborate on his alleged trouble with his uncle, Homer Rench, father of Connie.

Dr. Keith said Bryson related in his signed statement that he carried Connie's body about 50 feet and dropped it in a "goose wallow" where it was later discovered. He then went to Sorento, 20 miles from Greenville, where he was arrested.

Ft. Myer GIs Take 48 Hours To Quit Army

From Yesterday's Late Editions
It takes 48 hours to become a civilian at the new Fort Myer (Va.) separation point.

Maybe that's not fast if an enlisted man with a long service record wants to get paid and get out. But the Army wants to see the serviceman home in good shape. It cautions him to spend his musing over and terminal leave pay wisely as there will be no more free meals, bunks and clothes. It first gives the veteran:

1. Thorough medical and psychiatric checkups, with opportunity to secure any further treatment he desires, and to apply for disability pension.

2. Counsel on GI Bill of Rights benefits, jobs, personal problems. Representatives from civil service, Veterans' Administration and U. S. Employment Service give on-the-spot assistance.

Then, at separation ceremonies, the men stand at attention for the last time. Maj. Kenneth Polter, commanding officer of the separation point, awards discharge papers, additional medals and gives them a pep talk. Fort Commandant John J. Albright wishes them luck.

In 12 minutes the restored civilians are greeting families on the grounds or racing for transportation to train and bus stations, while the Army Band plays "Auld Lang Syne."

Eight area men "graduated" yesterday. They were: Pfc. Henry C. Johnson, 1523 1/2 14th st. nw.; S/Sgt. Douglas C. Johnson, 8208 7th st. nw.; T/4 Harvey C. Lloyd, 1423 Foxhall rd. nw.; Pfc. Pierino P. DeLeonibus, 2705 6th st. ne.; M/Sgt. Lewis H. Mundin, Jr., 1600 Quinn st.; Pvt. Jasper R. Grimsley, 2214 N. 18th st.; T/4 Walter F. Peterson, 2095 12th st.; and T/5 Bernard Cohen, Presidential Gardens, all of Alexandria, Va.

One serviceman who will be separated today has no job worries. A former Washington draftsman, he had already lined up a job for himself when another was offered him yesterday as post draftsman by Capt. C. E. Germaine, civilian personnel officer.

He is Corp. George R. Skidmore, 25, of 618 D st. sw. A veteran of four years, with 2 1/2 years overseas, he has 87 points.

D. C. Suffrage Resolution Wins Approval

From Yesterday's Late Editions
Residents of the District moved a step closer yesterday to a national vote and representation in Congress when a Senate Judiciary Subcommittee favorably reported the Summers-Capper suffrage resolution to the full committee with one change.

The measure, which would provide Congress power to adopt a constitutional amendment giving Washingtonians their long-denied rights of citizenry, was blocked last February from further consideration until after the war.

Senator Carl Hatch (D., N. Mex.), chairman of the subcommittee, said the group voted to limit the appointment of representation for the District to the basis used for the several States.

The question of apportionment has been the subject of debate for a decade, and Senator Joseph C. O'Mahoney (D., Wyo.), reopened the argument yesterday by claiming that all the large cities of the Nation would demand similar treatment if the District were granted the same representation as a State.

O'Mahoney submitted an alternate suggestion to the subcommittee that the District be granted seats only in the House of Representatives. The House Judiciary subcommittee reported the joint resolution to the full committee last spring.

Sunday School Group To Elect Officers

The annual election of officers of the D. C. Sunday School association will take place October 15 at 7:45 p. m. at Epworth Methodist Church, 13th st. and North Carolina ave. ne. The Westminster Conference "echo" meeting will be held at the same time. Conference films will be shown.

New GAR Commander



AT SEVENTY-NINTH ENCAMPMENT—Hiram R. Gale, 59, of Seattle, Wash., received a congratulatory kiss from his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Edgar L. Gale, also of Seattle, after he was elected commander of the Grand Army of the Republic at the seventy-ninth annual encampment in Columbus, Ohio. A former newspaper publisher, Gale is now engaged in the real estate business with his son.

Continuation of the Victory Garden Office as a peacetime service of the municipal government was rejected yesterday by the District Commissioners, despite an appeal from a citizens' committee which supervised the program during the war emergency.



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Surplus Resolution

It is a heartening change to have a Senate subcommittee doing some constructive work on the Summers-Capper resolution instead of merely inventing excuses for rejecting it. Senator Hatch's subcommittee thinks the measure is in need of some amendment to clarify the grant of power it would give to Congress. At the same time it has approved the idea of national suffrage for the disfranchised District and recommends that the revised amendment be sent on its way to enactment. We hope the full Senate Judiciary Committee will follow that good example.

The subcommittee is undoubtedly right in saying that the language of the proposed constitutional amendment can be improved. As introduced, it would have given Congress authority to grant the District more representation in the House and Senate than the States have and to entrust those representatives with more power than Senators and Representatives of the States have. Sponsors of the amendment had no thought of asking for extraordinary powers, but it is well to make the language of a constitutional amendment as precise as possible.

We are glad that the subcommittee did not yield to Senator O'Mahoney's plea to limit the proposed grant of suffrage to the choice of Representatives in the House and electors in the Electoral College. It may well be that the Senate will object to legislation giving the District two seats in that body if the amendment is passed by Congress and ratified by three fourths of the States. But that is a bridge to cross when Congress comes to it. In amending the Constitution it seems to us desirable to grant the broader power and leave to Congress the extent to which it should be exercised. The Senate at present is composed solely of representatives of the people of the several States, but its character would not be essentially changed if it also had a couple of Senators from the District. Certainly the proposed addition to the Senate would be a small concession to make for the sake of granting nearly a million citizens living in the District a voice in their national Government.

Surpluses For Veterans

There is both justice and social utility in the provision of the Surplus Property Act that preference be granted to veterans in the disposal of surplus war materials. These goods can help men returning to civilian status in establishing independent business enterprises. Plainly they have earned this sort of assistance, and the whole national economy will benefit if they receive it. The Canadians, recognizing this to be so, chose a more suitable term than ours for their excess military and naval stores. In Canada, these are aptly called "war assets."

But a genuinely difficult problem—essentially a merchandising problem—is involved in getting surplus materials into the hands of individual veterans who want to buy them. The materials have to be moved, somehow, from their location at the time when they are put into the surplus category to points at which veterans can gain access to them. The Commerce Department and the Smaller War Plants Corporation which dispose of most of the materials in which veterans would be interested have, between them, only 125 outlets; and the law wisely forbids a multiplication of Government outlets by insisting that the disposal of surpluses be through normal channels of commerce.

The difficulty in making goods available to veterans is complicated, too, by the fact that the law grants them preference—not priority—only for the purchase of goods to be used for the establishment of their own independent business or farming enterprises. Thus a surplus Army desk may be sold on a preferential basis to a veteran if he means to use it for an office, but not if he means merely to put it in his living room at home. In other words, a veteran must secure an authorization before he can exercise his preferential right of purchase. Even with this limitation, however, the qualified veterans are not obtaining the goods they want. The situation is particularly unsatisfactory in respect to surplus motor vehicles for which there has been a considerable demand among veterans and which have been sold, instead, to dealers.

Surplus Property Administrator Symington promised the other day that he will announce a new regulation which will make it possible for veterans to secure surplus property with a minimum of delay and give them a real opportunity to exercise the preferences granted them under the Surplus Property Act. We should think it would be possible to do this only by setting aside some portions of surplus materials as they

become available and reserving them for sale to veterans only. It is obviously difficult (but not impossible) to estimate what the veteran demand will be. And there is a danger that the disposal of surpluses will be somewhat slowed down by this procedure. But the trouble and risk seem worth taking for the sake of giving real effect to the promise of Congress that surplus supplies will be used to help veterans in their readjustment to civilian life.

Oil And Coal

The President did well to pick the Navy to take over the silenced oil properties. As a result of the strike, the operations of our armed forces, now engaged in extensive redeployment, were menaced. Particularly the prospect stared the veterans in the face that shortage of oil might put out of commission ships which are assigned for returning them to civilian life. In an emergency of this character, as the President declared, the public interest transcends the interests of any group.

A similar emergency faces the country in coal. And this is much more serious. For the deficit that has piled up in the output of oil can be made up; coal deficits can never be overcome. The effects of the shortage cannot be gauged as yet in their entirety. But already one result has occurred which is causing dismay to the conductors of our foreign relations. The last shipment to a necessitous Europe sailed on Wednesday. Americans, faced as they are with a shortage at home, may not be particularly concerned about our failure to keep our word to liberated Europe. We mention it only because it is the beginning of a series of ill consequences that will flow from John L. Lewis' holdup.

The President says that nothing will be permitted to stand in the way of adequate supplies of any kind for our armed forces and for their proper redeployment and demobilization. They are measured words. They seem to envisage action in case the stoppage of coal supplies continues. No sign of what the Government intends to do about John L. Lewis, however, has been vouchsafed. Perhaps a few words about coal will be forthcoming after the Schwellenbach-Lewis meeting today. If there is no immediate change for the better in this situation, we hope these words will be strong. The fraudulence of Mr. Lewis' position should be exposed to the general public. Butler would not melt in Mr. Lewis' words when he assures the Government that the foremen's strikes are "spontaneous," that he is really trying to get the men back to work, that his union is democratic and that he can only do its bidding, that there is an executive committee of the UMW which has the only authority. The butter has got so rancid that its fake quality ought to be put on the record.

Nothing is more disgusting than to see the strings of Government pulled by demagogues and mobsters. The weakest spot in Mr. Roosevelt's career was his fright when face to face with the dictators of our labor unions. He could freeze a man like his old friend Mr. Farley when Jim became familiar, but he suffered the finger-pointing and threatening behavior of the union leaders without protest. This Administration must reassert the dignity of Government in dealing with them. It is not antilabor, as some of our correspondents assert, to think in these crucial days of the authority of Government. It is probator. No group in the community can misuse the privileges which a tolerant people have accorded to it with impunity. And what we fear is retrograde legislation at the instance of an aroused public. All the gains of labor in collective bargaining are in jeopardy as a result of the indiscipline, the failure to consider the interests of the community, and the vexatiousness which disfigure the labor disputes that are now raging.

The general strike situation, of course, covers justifiable disputes. We see justice in the grievances of the low-paid workers as, for instance, in the textile industry, who were not given a square deal in wartime. The answer here is to raise the minimum wage. We see warrant for wage increases in industries which have done well out of the war and which have no problem of reconversion. In other industries which have no way of knowing their situation till reconversion has been completed, we think that the strikes are premature. But our main concern at this time is to plead for the unmasking of the little Hitlers with an itch to demonstrate an extra- and even a supra-Government power and for an early effort to establish orderly procedures in collective bargaining.

Retreat With Flynn

The London office of Warner Brothers has suspended from exhibition in Britain the Errol Flynn movie called *Objective, Burma* following a little tempest of indignation. What made the British indignant was that the script writer had appropriated an exploit actually accomplished by British and Indian troops and had attributed it to Americans. The British knew that it was General Slim's Fourteenth Army which, by its defense of Imphal at a price of 40,000 casualties, had contributed most to the great victory in Burma, and that only three brigades of American troops, operating with General Stilwell's Chinese forces in the north, were involved. Thus many persons in Britain who had lost relatives in Burma were astonished and angered to see the reconquest of Burma

depicted as if it were an exclusively American operation. In some quarters the resentment was probably aggravated by the belief held by some military theorists in both Britain and the United States that the costly Burmese campaign was strategically unnecessary, that the wiser thing might have been to by-pass Burma entirely and to strike the Japanese on the Chinese mainland.

In these circumstances it seems, to put it mildly, rather tactless of Warner Brothers to have sent such a picture as *Objective, Burma* for exhibition to British audiences. Several American movie critics, however, are apparently upset because Warner Brothers have now yielded to British opinion and have withdrawn the picture. These critics seem to consider the whole affair an indirect form of censorship. But the question is not quite as simple as that. It is a question of whether Hollywood is not destroying its foreign markets by its slavish devotion to what it considers to be preferences of the home market. Whatever the intrinsic merits of *Objective, Burma* as dramatic representation, it would have been just as dramatic if Mr. Flynn had played the part of an English or even of an Indian major. If his part and all the other parts in the picture were Americanized, it was not from any dramatic necessity but wholly for the sake of flattering the prejudices of American audiences.

Unity In Japan

The Allied commission that is to be set up as the supervisory agency for the Far East seems to come in answer to Molotov's complaint in London. The fact is, we understand, the way had been prepared for the agency when the Russians made their suggestion. It is not stated whether the commission will be located in Washington or in Tokyo. Moscow now wants it to sit in Tokyo, but there is no reason why we should agree, and every reason why we shouldn't. Obstructors of other powers have a place in Tokyo; but not an Allied control commission such as is now running Germany. The occupation of Japan differs from that of Germany in that demilitarization and control of Japan are being enforced through the Japanese government, and General MacArthur is the United Nations' representative on the spot. If a commission were to sit in Tokyo, administration would be impeded, and an opening would be given to the Japanese to play one of the occupying powers off against the other.

It is to the advantage of this country no less than to that of the other United Nations to have this commission set up. Responsibility needs to be shared. It would be difficult for our representatives, moreover, to keep a straight face in insisting on co-responsibility in Europe without admitting the same co-responsibility in Japan. However, there is, as we say, a difference. The Russian proposal of a commission on the spot is a Russian vote of no-confidence in the American already chosen by the United Nations as supreme commander. Moscow evidently thinks it will get support from the vocal MacArthur's of leftist persuasion in this country. Its mistake ought to be brought home to it. There is no reason to fear that General MacArthur's policies will not stand scrutiny. He is fulfilling in letter and spirit the terms of the Potsdam declaration, and doing it with the majesty and finesse of a proconsul.

Take, for example, his treatment of the Japanese Emperor. Nothing is said in either the Potsdam declaration or the Byrnes clarification of it about the future of the Emperor system. Some of our bloodthirsty liberal friends want Hirohito's head on a charger. But there are more ways of killing an institution than drowning it in a blood bath. Long ago we suggested that the best way to undermine the Emperor institution is to vulgarize it; that is to say, to bring it down to earth. That is what General MacArthur is doing, and he is finding an abettor in Hirohito himself, as was shown when the Mikado called upon him. Let the people decide!

The chief argument for the deposition and condemnation of the Mikado has been based on his religious status. Because the Japanese militarists have exploited the Emperor's religious authority for their own purposes, it is argued that Japanese militarism cannot be permanently destroyed unless Emperor worship also is eradicated. History, however, offers no evidence that a religion can be destroyed merely by the proscription or persecution of its leaders. Surely, if Hirohito's religious influence is as powerful as his enemies claim, it would seem the part of wisdom not to oppose it but to make use of it, as MacArthur is doing, for promoting the Potsdam aims. In the meantime let us hope that in future we shall not have to wait for policy disclosures in this as in other matters of our foreign affairs till Molotov has smoked us out. The secrecy boys seem to need the reminder that the war is over and that a people's peace is being written.

TO A SMALL RED SALAMANDER

What scheme is it that puts you in this wood,
A creature, bonied shaped, of pulsing red,
Smaller than the brown leaf you rest upon,
And half the leaves now, dead?

I touch your tiny scarlet cobweb foot
And imperceptibly it is withdrawn.
Gray clouds the living color in your sides
And yet you are not gone.

Is it then certain death when frost approaches;
Are you like flowers of a summer season,
An ornament to any lichenized stone,
Beauty your only reason?

Oh creep into the earth and close your eyes,
And chill your blood to silver of December!
Perhaps you may achieve another spring,
And not remember.

MARIE GILCHRIST

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Handling the Atom

WHILE HE HAS postponed a final decision on the international use of atomic power, President Truman has made it clear that he favors some form of control through an international organization.

Long delay on this decision would be unfortunate. While the uncertainty hangs over the world the distrust and suspicion grow.

The choices that lie before us have been badly stated, it seems to me. Those who talk about the "secret" of the atomic bomb, and how we must keep it, are bracing themselves to resist a move that no one contemplates.

Those who urge international control of atomic power do not propose to rush out day after tomorrow and hand over the formulae to every nation in the world. That is an unfair distortion of what they propose.

THE MOST intelligent proposal has come in the form of a bill introduced by Senator Brien McMahon of Connecticut, who would eventually entrust control of atomic power to the Security Council of the United Nations Organization. But before this was done careful steps would be taken to make sure the Security Council had the right to inspect all plants and laboratories in every country of the world to see whether the agreement was being kept.

If the Council could not obtain such assurances from each nation, then, presumably, the basic information on the method of atom splitting, which still is the secret of the group that did the job in this country, would be withheld. As President Truman said in his message, the principle is no secret. And the method of blowing the world to pieces will not long be our exclusive possession—perhaps three to five years at the most.

Since we were to move toward sharing this power with the rest of the world, I believe it would do more than anything else to wipe out the cloud of suspicion and hostility rapidly forming on the international horizon.

We should have no illusions about that cloud. Above all, it is separating East and West, separating Russia and the United States into opposing camps.

We are beginning to deal in hints and threats. On their side, the Russians are beginning to do some hinting about atomic fission, and, as we have learned, the Russians never do anything without a purpose.

ONE BROAD hint was recently overlooked. The information bulletin published by the Soviet Embassy in Washington was devoted in considerable part, one day last week, to Russia's scientific achievements. In the course of a revealing article titled "Can Science Be Planned?" A. Joffe, director of the Physico-Technical Institute, had this to say:

"By way of illustration, I can cite an experience of my own in May, 1930, at a time when our country was still comparatively poor and everything was being directed toward the fulfillment of the first five-year plan."

"My colleagues at the Physico-Technical Institute and I thought it essential to begin work on the atomic nucleus. We were worried, however, because it was in the middle of the year when appropriations for our work had already been made, and the new research work we had outlined required an additional expenditure of several hundred thousand rubles."

"I went to Sergei Orjonikidze, who was chairman of the Supreme Council of National Economy, put the matter before him and in literally 10 minutes left his office with an order signed by him authorizing the sum. Once started, we continued work on the atomic nucleus for 15 years, an essential part of our plan."

That is pretty plain. That says, almost in so many words, that Russia is a rich and powerful country now. It is not very far from the truth. It is not very far from the truth that Russia wants us to understand just that. Suspicious feeds on itself, and will until we try to find a cure.

Battle Stars Unfair

The public might be interested in learning that "campaign stars" are not awarded for actually being in battle. Any soldier or sailor who is in a campaign area before the expiration of a set date is entitled to one.

Therefore a seagoing tug may stop at several islands for 30 days each and at the end of a year have passed through seven campaign zones without having fired a shot and be entitled to seven battle stars and the 35 points that go with it. Of course, in the infantry and ground forces that is not very likely to happen. GIs fighting for months in one campaign area and living in foxholes most of the time have only one star to show for it.

Now if that is the "pay stars and credits for discharge are handed out, it is any wonder that those of us who have years of service and weren't at the right place at the right time haven't enough points to get out of the Army?

DISCOURAGED.

The Philippines, Sept. 15.

Russia Complain

By Barnet Nover

Potsdam And The London Failure

WHEN THE NEWS first began to seep out of London that all was not going well at the meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers' chorus of denials went up from the Soviet press and radio.

Thus on September 23 Pravda, official organ of the Communist Party, took sharp issue with gloomy British and American reports on the conference. It took issue with such statements as that the conference was "faced by insurmountable contradictions" and was headed toward an "inevitable fiasco."

But what irritated the Soviet press and radio most were charges that the difficulties there alleged to be arising at the meeting (as they were) were the result of Russian intransigence (which was also true).

Actually the Russian people were told very little as to what was taking place at the conference. So far as they knew all was smooth sailing at London.

THE BLANK pages are now being filled in and in characteristic fashion.

The Russian people are told that at London Foreign Minister Molotov played the combined role of watchdog and guardian angel of the Potsdam agreement. The failure of the conference rests not on his shoulders but on the shoulders of James F. Byrnes and Ernest Bevin.

"What was accepted and signed in Berlin by President Truman and Prime Minister Attlee was put in doubt by Byrnes and Bevin in London," says *Izvestia*, official organ of the Soviet government. And it was the Anglo-American stand on the Balkans imperils the whole "foundation of cooperation" among the Big Three.

The implications of this statement are worth looking into. If what *Izvestia* says is correct, one of two things is true: Either the Russian people were misled by the wishes of their chiefs and thus contrary to a clear understanding reached by the latter with Generalissimo Stalin at Potsdam, or President Truman and Prime Minister Attlee interpreted the Potsdam agreement differently from the way Stalin did.

Since the first possibility is, on the face of it, absurd we can only assume that the latter assumption is correct. In that case it is difficult to avoid the conclusion that in the opinion of the Russian government Big Three harmony is only possible when the Russian interpretation of a binding commitment is accepted by the other signatories.

A CAREFUL reading of the Potsdam provisions regarding the Council of Foreign Ministers does not help matters very much.

The strict interpretation of one clause in the declaration definitely indicates the intent to limit the drafting of terms of peace with Romania, Hungary, Bulgaria and Finland to those powers that

At his final press conference Molotov was asked about the agreement of September 11. His reply was:

"Certain newspapers have written about some decision of September 11. I should like to take a look at that decision if there was one. Can there be any talk of a decision since none was adopted by the Council of Ministers or signed by any of the ministers?"

Such statements will fool nobody outside of Russia, where, since the only thing known about what happened at London is what official propagandists have given out, the people do not know that Molotov was speaking with his tongue in his cheek.

THE REAL lesson of the London fiasco is only an old lesson in a new form: In dealing with the Russians it is wise to leave nothing to chance, to leave nothing unbuttoned, nothing that is not pinned down.

This was not done at Yalta. Apparently, the same thing happened again at Potsdam. Under the circumstances, talk of another Big Three conference to clean up the mess left at London is absurd.

Before another conference can have any chance of success there must first be a meeting of minds. As between Russia and the western powers there is none now and, in a real sense, never has been. That is the real tragedy back of the London fiasco.

Letters To The Editor

Communications must carry writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters should be held to not more than 200 words. They are subject to condensation.

Hughes' Experiments

Your article Sunday, September 30, on the millions of Government dollars "sunk" in Howard Hughes' experiments on war planes seems to discourage a work which should be encouraged. That work is experimentation, financed both by private and public funds, to develop our military and commercial aviation.

The reporter states that "a mass of information of unquestioned value to the Army Air Forces and the aviation industry as a whole" has been collected. He further states that Mr. Hughes is continuing work on the big cargo plane has put an estimated four million dollars of his own into salvaging "valuable aeronautical engineering data that might otherwise be lost." Commendation for this phase of the project rather than the criticism implied in the article would, it seems to me, be more constructive.

Mr. Hughes, admittedly a man with the means to do so, has given much to aeronautical experimentation. His development of fast planes, his well-planned and well-executed round-the-world flight, his stratosphere flights, and his continued interest in developing better planes have advanced both the civil and military aviation. That he did not complete the planes for the war is regrettable, but whether the funds he has used have been "wasted" depends on the uses made of the data he has brought together.

Insistence that the public be saved is more in the public interest than is the implied criticism in your report.

FOR FAIRNESS.

Washington, Oct. 2.

Mikado Visits MacArthur

The much-discussed call of the Emperor of Japan upon the commander in chief of the Allied forces is receiving all sorts of interpretations. AP's correspondent in your issue of yesterday speaks of Hirohito "lowering himself" by the visit.

That some Japanese should think of it that way is not surprising, considering the propaganda fed them regarding the imperial household since 1888—though not much before that.

As a resident of Japan for more than three decades, I should like to suggest, however, that the efforts of the present ruler, then crown prince, to democratize his position vis-a-vis the people after his return from England give much credibil-

Pacific Affairs

By Audrey Menefee

Trouble In S.E. Asia

THE MOTTO of the Japanese in southeast Asia today might well be, "We planned it that way." The political turmoil in Indo-China and the Dutch East Indies, particularly, could not be improved upon from the Imperial Japanese viewpoint. It must surpass the wildest hopes of our erstwhile enemies, who began laying plans for just such disorders at the moment when they knew they would lose the war.

Japan's stock is rising in southeast Asia, and through no effort of the Japanese. Their troops, aided by civilian "overseas Japanese," remain in control in most of east Asia a month and a half after Japan's surrender. They have actually been ordered by the Allies to keep their arms to maintain "peace and order" among the native people.

THE BASIC trouble seems to be that our Allies retain a deep-seated fear of any popular movement in the colonies. Apparently they would rather leave power in the hands of the Japanese than delegate it even temporarily to the native peoples. The Japanese, they feel, are better than "chaos."

This attitude may be building up an incalculable store of illwill for the white man in Asia, thus accomplishing for the Japanese one of their major war aims.

French Indo-China is the most tragic case in point. It is an armed camp from north to south, with the Chinese in precarious control in the north, the British and French fighting the Annamite nationalists in the south, and the Japanese in the middle smiling benevolently over all the confusion.

To maintain "law and order" the British, who moved in first, used thousands of Japanese troops and ordered them to prevent "anti-French uprisings" among the very people whom the Nips had been indoctrinating against the French for four years. It can hardly be surprising, then, anyone that the worst disorders occurred in the sections where the British had placed Japanese troops in sole authority. A high-ranking Japanese officer admitted on questioning that the Japanese were supplying arms to the rioters.

One significant fact is that no rioting occurred until it was clear that the native leaders were being completely by-passed in favor of the Japanese, who had been exploiting and propagandizing them all during the occupation. Uprisings against the Allies were then inevitable.

THE BRITISH and Dutch in the Netherlands Indies have been placed in just as unfavorable a light as the British and French in Indo-China. The Indonesian situation is fantastically complicated by the fact that Australian and American longshoremen are supporting the native puppets in their fight to save their own necks by opposing the return of the Dutch. The British commander for the area reportedly "ordered" the ranking Dutch administrator in Java, Dr. Charles van der Plas, to meet with the former quisling leaders, presumably to placate them.

Mr. Soekarno, prewar nationalist and leading puppet under the Japanese, broadcast many inflammatory pro-Japanese and anti-Allied statements during the war. Yet he is now being interviewed and widely quoted by Allied newsmen and even by the British commander in Batavia, and is respectfully referred to as "Dr. Soe Karno, president of the Indonesian Republic." (This "republic" planned and organized by the Japanese, was launched on August 9 at the order of Field Marshal Terauchi.)

The present state of affairs in Indonesia came about in a British attempt to prevent a recurrence of what happened in Indo-China—where all varieties of nationalists were impartially snubbed.

HONEST FRENCH, British and Dutch observers admit that although the colonial populations rejoiced at the end of Japanese rule, they watch the return of their former governments with mixed feelings. Some Dutch newspapers are urging that the NEI government speedily recognize the authenticity of a nationalist movement in the Indies, regardless of its present unsavory leadership, and try to win the Indonesian over to the announced plan of full internal autonomy for the Indies within the Netherlands kingdom.

Some French newspapers, too, are asking for a more constructive policy in Indo-China. They want the Fourth Republic to speed its plans for Indo-Chinese autonomy and come to a mature understanding with the Annamite independence movement.

Implementation of Chapter II of the United Nations Charter may in time undo most of the damage. If the Allies keep the pledge written there, to "develop self-government, to take due account of the political aspirations of the people" in their dependent areas, the long years of Japanese undermining of the west and the initial blunders of the "liberating forces" may yet be forgotten.

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Many Area Troops Reach New York

Men From D. C. Due at Three East Ports On Several Troopships Today

These names were telegraphed directly to The Washington Post by the Associated Press. There is no assurance that the list is correct, because it was compiled in Europe previous to embarkation, but officials said that the margin of error is slight. Relatives should not contact the port or The Washington Post for further information. On the Vulpes

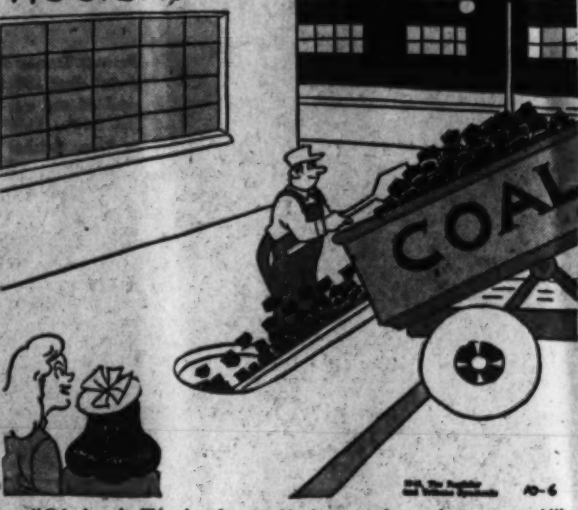
New York, Oct. 5.—The Vulpes has brought in the following: **WASHINGTON** Hughes, John W., Jr., 1126 Florida ave. ne. King, Joseph A., 3011 24th st. Williams, Fred, 235 W. st. n.w. Adams, T/4 Joseph, 1316 Euclid st. Powell, Sgt. Alvin, 3726 Hayes st. ne. Butler, Corp. James M., 5075 Sherif rd. ne. Hales, Pvt. Raymond L., 5212 14th st. n.w. McEwen, Sgt. Paul L., Irving st. Hales, Sgt. Edward H., 708 Walnut rd. Winfrey, Paul H. Leuk, Hallie, 1525 Q st. Sigel, Corp. Clarence S., Brentwood rd. ne. Trotter, Robert N., 1415 Chapin st. Covington, Pvt. Louis, 1251 Santing st. n.w. Hunter, Pvt. Joseph W. Eaton, Rollin S. Kunkum, Pfc. J., 1713 Trinidad ave. Reidy, Pfc. Joseph, 149 R st. Katinas, George J., 6420 13th st. ne. Fountain, Pvt. Manuel, 4923 Meade st. n.w.

MARYLAND Booty, T/3 Amos P., 3208 Otis st. Mount Rainier. Beale, Pfc. Vincent M., 509 Frederick ave., Gaithersburg. Conway, Sgt. Hampton E., 103 Rossville rd., Murkirk. Harrison, T/5 William G., 141 Collins st., Elktion. Williams, Pfc. William E., R. F. D. 2, Berlin. Saylor, T/5 Robert E., 4806 Sumner rd., Riverdale. Testa, T/5 Warren W., R. F. D. 1, Friendsville. Hess, Pfc. Robert E., 631 Guilford ave., Hagerstown. Dunn, T/Sgt. Edward J., 404 Liberty st., Hagerstown. Weddle, T/4 James E., R. F. D. 1, Frederick. Bonnell, Corp. William H., 5 East Furnace ave., Linthicum Heights. Buckingham, Corp. Chester W., R. F. D. 5, Westminster. MacCloskey, Sgt. Jack, 4105 Lowell rd., Pikesville. Wimbrow, Corp. Wilbur E., Wilkins. Buckler, T/5 Joseph G., Charlotte Hall. Corbin, Jr., Pfc. William F., Uniontown. Hopkins, Pfc. Frank R., Cooksville. Trego, T/5 Thomas H., 2 Center st., Cambridge. Cline, Capt. Marlowe M., 504 Magnolia ave., Frederick.

VIRGINIA Farwell, Capt. Byron E., 5709 Lord, No. Arlington. Jones, S/Sgt. Ramsey A., Galax. Hepburn, T/3 Ralph L., 19 Oak st., Alexandria. Clifton, Corp. Samuel J., 319 N. 27th st., Richmond. Johnson, Pfc. Robert F., 101 Greenbriar ave., Hampton. Lang, Pfc. Bernard L., 3313 Florida ave., Richmond. Mawry, Pfc. Warren D., 2220 Memorial ave., Lynchburg. Gardner, Pvt. Thomas A., Appomattox. Roakes, Pvt. Arthur T., Gladys. Gillett, Pvt. Carol, Accomac. Santucci, Capt. Edward O., 6400 Patterson ave., Richmond. Royce, Capt. Louis W., 2722 North ave., Richmond. Altizer, Sgt. T. Ruby E., 1900 1st and Ingles sts., Radford. Hall, Sgt. Blaine W., Fort Belvoir. Washington, Pvt. William R., 504 Sophia st., Fredericksburg. Brown, First Sgt. Joseph C., 216 Major ave., Norfolk. Sadler, T/Sgt. Oliver B., Kinross. Moody, Sgt. Thomas A., Chesterfield. Timberlake, Corp. Guy M., 20 Oak lane, Richmond. Hall, T/5 Henry T., 715 N. 22d st., Richmond. Testament, Pfc. Robert F., Glade Spring. Trent, Pvt. Thomas G., Spencer Hill, T/4 Nathan G., R. F. D. 2, Scottsville. Williamson, Pfc. Layman E., R. F. D. 1, Blue Ridge. Wills, Pfc. Charley H., 3414 Stockton st., South Richmond. Adams, Pvt. Walter L., R. F. D. 8, Richmond. Gay, S/Sgt. Marion A., 409 Franklin st., Franklin. Yancey, S/Sgt. George M., 1012 St. Paul st., Richmond. Yates, T/5 James L., Boyds Tavern. Smith, Pfc. Charles, 1001 Adam st., Danville. Trent, Pfc. Willie V., Dillwyn. Smith, Corp. Howard H., Route 1, Herndon. Baumgardner, Pfc. Nathan L., RFD 2, Pennington Gap. Jones, Pfc. Richard A., 308 Pr. Iliz st., Fredericksburg. Robinson, Richard G., Route 4, Alexandria. Rutledge, S/Sgt. James T., 343 East 29th st., Newport News. Payne, Sgt. Odie E., 823 Monticello ave., Charlottesville. Boardman, T/5 Leslie B., 1214 Apperson st., Richmond. Sizer, T/Sgt. Arthur R., Chilesburg. Turner, S/Sgt. Eldridge N., Gate City.

Off the Record

HOSIERY MILLS



"Oh boy! That's the stuff they make nylons out of!"

Wright, Pfc. Carl M., Cumberland. In a Boston

Boston, Oct. 5.—Arrivals aboard the John Howland today include: **WASHINGTON** Sheelin, T/5 Raymond C., 2539 13th st. n.w. Louis, Pfc. Harry, 1338 Randolph st. n.w. Sternberg, Pfc. Morris, 710 Tuckerman st. n.w.

MARYLAND Messineo, Pfc. Paul, 4810 Central ave., Capitol Heights. **VIRGINIA** Kerr, Sgt. William C., Brandon ave., Walnut Hill. Crawford, Corp. George L. Selma. Green, Pvt. Burtis, Gale. On Lincoln Staffs

Boston, Oct. 5.—Arrivals aboard the Lincoln Staffs due here tomorrow include: **WASHINGTON, D. C.** Seay, Sgt. Millard C., 59 Crittenden st. n.e. Washington, D. C. **MARYLAND** Townsend, S/Sgt. Thomas H. Salisbury. Melott, S/Sgt. Harold N., Cambridge. Thomas, Sgt. Walter E., Aberdeen. Booker, Pfc. Charles H., Trappe.

VIRGINIA Carson, Oct. 6.—Harris, Pfc. Frank E., Phoenix. Davis, Pvt. Hugh P., 404 Cherry st., Falls Church. Cost, T/Sgt. Maurice H., Lovettsville. Johnston, T/Sgt. Emory S., Pearisburg. Atkins, Sgt. Gayland F., Luray. Humphreys, Sgt. Earl D., Roanoke. Miles, Sgt. Hake E., Covington. Vaughan, T/4 Howard R., Willis. Johnson, Corp. George R., Phoebus. Linton, Corp. Emory L., Warrenton. Davis, T/5 Edgar P., North Fork. Potter, T/5 Grover C., Grundy. Everett, Pfc. Henley C., West Point.

Two Food Dealers Pay \$100 Fines in \$11 Overcharges From Yesterday's Late Editions Names of two more local food dealers who paid a total of \$100 for alleged overcharging charges amounting to \$11.79 were announced yesterday by the District OPA. Leon Koonin, owner of the Uptown Delicatessen, 3500 Connecticut ave. n.w., made a \$50 settlement for a \$2 overcharge on eight turkey sandwiches. Koonin explained that he was unfamiliar with OPA prices because he recently took over the management of the store since his two brothers, co-owners in the business, were sent overseas with the Army. A similar \$50 fine was paid by Sam Polasky, former owner of the Washington Open Air Fruit Stand, 2001 Bladensburg rd. n.e., for a \$9.79 overcharge on oranges. Although Polasky has since sold the business, OPA said he had to make the settlement as the overcharge was made during his ownership.

Grin and Bear It By Ichtly



"Lady—wit dis 10-ton job I don't need no nuffin' about road manners!"

Walter Lippmann is ill. His column will be resumed shortly.

The Gallup Poll

Public Favors Continuance Of 40-Hour Work Week

*By George Gallup Director, American Institute of Public Opinion Princeton, N. J., Oct. 5.—The unions of the country have as a long-range aim not only increased wages for workers but shorter working hours.

A major step in labor's long struggle for shorter working hours was the passage of the wage hour law of 1938, setting the normal working week at 40 hours and the minimum hourly wage rates at 40 cents after October 24, 1940.

While recent surveys have shown that a substantial section of the public is willing to see the minimum wage rates boosted above 40 cents, as called for in the Pepper bill, a majority of the public does not think the regular work week should be cut below 40 hours.

This is shown from replies to questioning of voters all over the United States on the issue as follows:

"How many hours a week do you think persons should work in a regular work week now that the war is over?"

The medium average of the re-

plies comes at 40 hours per week with the range of replies as follows:

Under 40 hours 10% 40 hours 66 41-47 hours 12 48 hours 1 No opinion 6

When the United States entered the war in 1941, the American people favored a drastic upward revision in the length of the work week, some groups favoring as much as 60 hours in war industries in order to speed production of much-needed fighting equipment.

Factory tests indicated, however, that over-long work hours affected production efficiency because of the fatigue of the workers, and it was felt that 48 hours constituted a good length of working time in most industries rushing to fill urgent war orders. In some kinds of work, such as mining, a considerably shorter work week has long been in vogue.

The Dravo Corp. of Pittsburgh submitted a low bid of \$2,487,500 for constructing the substructure of a Victory bridge over the Anacostia River, District officials announced yesterday.

A total of four bids were received for the District's first post-war highway project. The next lowest bid came from Spencer, White & Prentiss, Inc., of New York, which offered to do the work for \$2,908,506.

The Commissioners have not yet announced the winner of the contract.

Washington's volunteer war service workers will be honored at a luncheon given by the War Hospitality Committee at the Willard Hotel tomorrow at 12:30 p. m.

Prosecutor T. M. Backhouse is expected to close his case tomorrow.

Admitting she beat and otherwise mistreated prisoners, the Grese woman said she was "made to enter the SS" when she was 18 and assigned to "concentration camp work. When, on a visit home, she told her father about conditions in them, "he gave me a beating and told me never to come home again," she said.

In another deposition, 58-year-old Fritz Klein, SS doctor at Belzen and Oswiecim, admitted selecting prisoners for the Oswiecim gas chambers, and choosing girls for brothels operated in the camp at Himmler's orders.

"Never Protested" Klein said he knew the children, the old people and the ill he singled out as "unable to work" would go to the gas chamber—but "I never protested.... although I never agreed—one cannot protest in the army."

"I realize that I am as responsible as those from the top downward," he added, "for killing thousands in these camps, particularly Oswiecim."

Still another deposition, by former internee Elizabeth Hertz, said SS women at Oswiecim, including defendant Hilde Lobauer, appeared "highly amused" as they watched several women drown in a deep pool there.

The guards pretended to help the struggling women, extending them long poles and then pushing them back into the water, she said.

Zion Leaders Assail Policy In Palestine From Yesterday's Late Editions Leaders of American Zionism yesterday condemned Britain's continuation of the Palestine "White Paper" policy and demanded the immediate fulfillment of her obligations as set forth in the Balfour declaration of 1939.

Climaxing an all-day emergency conference of coast-wide Zionist leaders, delegates and hundreds of Washingtonians last night heard Dr. Abba H. Silver, joint chairman of the American Zionist Emergency Council, call on all Americans to bring moral pressure to bear on Great Britain for her continuation of the Palestine "White Paper" policy.

Speaking at a protest meeting at the Jewish Community Center, 16th and Q st. sw., Dr. Silver expressed deep gratitude for President Truman's action in urging the British government to admit to Palestine the 100,000 surviving Jews from Europe's concentration camps.

But, he pointed out, if Britain accedes to his request, that alone will not solve the historic and unique problem of a homeless people.

Denouncing Britain's present stand, Dr. Silver asserted the Jews are incensed because the "same, shameless cruel policy of prohibition is to be continued under labor government—that's why we are aroused."

"If Britain had lived up to the Balfour declaration in 1939, 600 million nameless graves would not exist in Europe," he continued.

DON WINSLOW



Comdr. Thomas B. Inglis, acting director of the Office of Naval Intelligence, will be the guest speaker.

An envelope containing almost \$4000 left in a cab yesterday was returned to its owner in a few hours by the driver.

William H. Wells, 38, of 327 1st st. n.w., the driver, received \$220 as a reward.

The passenger, Mrs. Helen E. Taylor of Silver Spring, had collected the receipts from her husband's filling station early yesterday.

Hailing the cab at the filling station, 4140 Georgia ave. n.w., she dismissed it at her home, 1539 Red Oak dr.

Not until her husband asked for the envelope was Mrs. Taylor aware of the loss. Immediately she informed Lieut. Joseph Harrington, District hack inspector, of the loss.

While she was giving Harrington the details, Wells entered the room and turned the envelope, containing \$3729.71, over to him. Mrs. Taylor claimed it and promptly counted out the reward.

The Commissioners yesterday announced opposition to the House bill proposing to raise the salaries of marine engineers and pilots in the municipal fire department. In a letter to Chairman Jennings Randolph (D., W. Va.) of the House District Committee, the municipal heads pointed out that a special act during the summer increased the pay of these employees to a level even higher than comparable positions in the regular fire department staff.

Mrs. Paul Robeson, anthropologist and wife of the noted Negro singer, will speak tonight at 8 at Asbury Methodist Church, 11th and K sts. n.w., on "African Affairs." The Washington Cooperative Book Shop is sponsoring the lecture.



THEY USE A LOT OF LONG DISTANCE

We try our best to get their calls through promptly but, frankly, we are short of circuits right now and sometimes their calls are delayed.

However, we are adding Long Distance circuits just as fast as materials and manpower permit and, in time, we will have enough to handle all the calls that are placed.

In the meanwhile, you can help us handle the calls of these returning veterans by making only such Long Distance calls as are absolutely necessary and by making your message in each case as brief as possible.

Thank you.

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

Stellar Reconversion Takes a Little Doing; Notes of the Theater

A PRIMARY PROBLEM confronting the Hollywood motion picture studios in their plans for reconversion from war to peace is what to do about getting their stars, fresh out of uniform, before their eagerly awaiting public in the shortest possible time.

Anxious as the studios are to rush their prize stars into box-office-range as rapidly as possible, they are proceeding cautiously. Grade-A screen-plays do not grow on bushes, nor can they be sprouted overnight, and a topflight star is a tremendously valuable piece of property with which recklessness cannot be taken. Relaunching the returned serviceman is a heavy responsibility that calls for a bit of planning.

The perplexity probably has prickled deeper into the consciousness of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer than any other producing company largely because—and this is little more than a random guess—M-G-M seems to have had more of its acting stars with the colors than any other company. Not necessarily more patriotic, but larger in the matter of stellar personnel.

It is the recent return of Col. James Stewart, who got the eagle on his shoulders the hard way, that has suggested that he will down the line of march in the long parade of home-coming stars for whom M-G-M will have to provide satisfactory screen vehicles, but pronto, if public impatience is to be appeased.

What the tentative plans for Colonel Stewart are I have no way of knowing, beyond the report that he has expressed himself in favor of a light comedy role. Many of the others on the lot, however, are about ready to spin through the sprockets.

Robert Montgomery, after distinguished service as a Navy commander, soon will be seen in "They Were Expendable," with "Great Temptation" scheduled as his next and Greer Garson as costar.

Clark Gable, flying major, sharing honors also with Miss Garson (in a sweater, it is reported) will make an early peacetime debut in "Adventure."

A Few Delayed
The surprising popularity of "Waterloo Bridge," in revival, has made it plain that care must be exercised to provide Lieut. Robert Taylor with something just as good unless his prestige is to be weakened.

On the strength of his performance in "Anchors Aweigh," the studio will be pretty careful in the selection of the picture in which Gene Kelly will be seen when he is released by the Navy.

Serg. Mickey Rooney, despite added points presented to him by the stork recently, may not be back for some time yet, but a suitable script will be awaiting him when that time comes. Red Skelton, long ill in a military hospital, may be even longer getting back to the cameras and microphones.

Van Heflin, Air Corps lieutenant, returns to M-G-M to find "Bridgit" already scripted especially for him. So it won't be long now, but it takes some doing.

Lionel Kaye, the zany auctioneer late of "Hellzapoppin"—or was it "Sons of Fun"?—with Olsen and Johnson, and currently headlining the new stage bill at Loew's Capitol Theater, has a whole of an act that is peculiarly under the control of the cash customers. The whole thing is based on audience participation and could be ruined by an audience's refusal to participate. And this is where the cleverness and skill of Mr. Kaye comes in. It is practically impossible not to participate in his profitable tomfoolery. It was demonstrated at Thursday morning's first performance, when Mr. Kaye managed to keep his turn a consistent "wow" despite a few unique handicaps. You might see it. That amazingly trained and timed dog act. The Bricklayers, is always worth seeing, too, and Lin Mayberry, recently back from two years of entertaining overseas, also will divert you as a comedy "single" of wide versatility and considerable virtuosity. The gal can do 'most anything and do it well. The Three Parks initiate the going on with an exceedingly neat exhibition of gymnasticism. The feminine member of the trio concedes nothing to her male associates. In point of fact, it might be the other way around.

The ticket scramble at the National Theater being what it has been for the past many weeks, it should be of interest that mail orders are now being accepted for the two-week engagement of the Theater Guild's production of S. N. Behrman's new comedy, "Dunigan's Daughter," due to open on E. St. on Monday night, October 22. Dennis King, Virginia Gilmore and Glenn Anders head the cast under the direction of Ella Kazan, who likewise was responsible for the direction of the Behrman-Werfel "Jacobowsky and the Colonel." If you prefer to be sure your tickets by laying cash on the line and getting them in your hand, the box-office seat sale for Max Gordon's production of Mary Chase's "The Next Half Hour," starring Fay Bainter, will open Monday morning. The play will do the same a week from Monday night, October 15, for one week only.

On Again, Or Again!
The RKO-Keith's Theater high command has passed in its juggling long enough to transmit a bulletin to the effect that it's no such thing that "George White's Scandals" will be the attraction on the 15th at screen following the current engagement of Ginny Simms and

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LEONARD LYONS Broadway Glossary

New York, Oct. 5.
PEACE: In 1929, when Thomas Mann won the Nobel Prize, he deposited the prize-money in a German bank account which was earmarked as a special fund.

This account remained intact until Dr. Mann voluntarily left Germany because of his opposition to the German government. The German government confiscated this earmarked Nobel Peace Prize fund and used the money to wage war. Dr. Mann, through counsel, now will put in a claim for this money, a claim which will be listed along with those of American companies whose properties were confiscated.

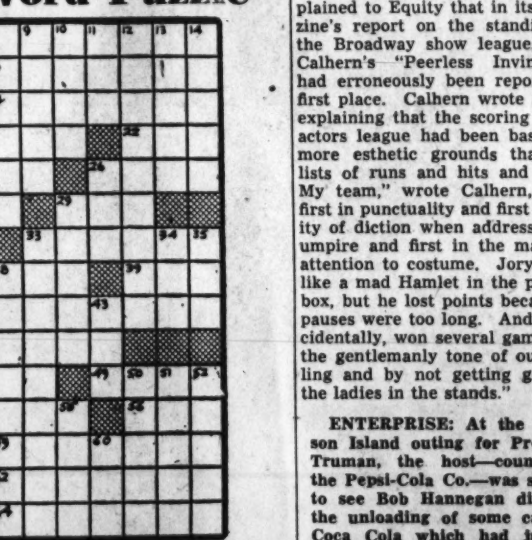
NEWS: Lieut. Comdr. Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr. went shopping for civilian clothes this week. He returns to civilian life with one of the finest records in the Navy. When he was given command of his own ship Roosevelt initiated the practice of broadcasting to all his men, via the ship's loudspeaker system, giving them all the non-secret news of the day. He did this every day, even on that day in April when the Nation went into mourning, and the young skipper

Worm's-Eye-View Note
Boy, that WAS a parade!

Show Time in the Downtown Theaters

STAGE
National—"The Rugged Path," at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.
Gayety-Burlesque at 12 noon, 8:30 and 12 p. m.
Capitol—"Her Highness and the Bellboy," at 10:30 a. m., 1:25, 4:20, 7:20 and 10:15 p. m. Stage shows at 12:40, 3:30, 6:30 and 9:30 p. m.
Earle—"Rhapsody in Blue," at 9, 11:30 a. m., 1:55, 4:25, 6:50, 9:20 p. m. and 12:05 a. m.
Metropolitan—"It All Came True," at 11 a. m., 1:10, 3:20, 5:30, 7:40, 9:50 and 12 p. m.
RKO-Keith's—"Shady Lady," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35 and 9:40 p. m.
Palace—"State Fair," at 10:45 a. m., 12:55, 3:05, 5:15, 7:25 and 9:35 p. m.
Columbia—"You Came Along," at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:10, 5:15, 7:20 and 9:25 p. m.
Little—"On Approval," at 11 a. m., 12:45, 2:30, 4:15, 6:00, 7:50 and 9:40 p. m.
Pit—"Bahama Passage," at 1, 3:20, 5:55, 8:15, 10:45 p. m. and 1:10 a. m. "Phantom of 42d St.," at 2:20, 4:55, 7:15, 9:45 p. m. and 12:10 a. m.
Trans-Lux—Newreels and shorts at 10:15 and 11:30 a. m., 12:45, 2, 3:15, 4:30, 5:45, 7, 8:15, 9:30, 10:45 p. m.
Ambassador—"Rhapsody in Blue," at 1:15, 3:55, 6:35 and 9:20 p. m.
Hippodrome—"Journey Into Fear," at 2:30, 6 and 9:30 p. m. "Citizen Kane," at 3:40 and 7:10 p. m.

Daily Cross Word Puzzle



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Hedda Hopper's Hollywood

Hollywood, Calif., Oct. 5.—Bette Davis usually gets what she wants, and let me be the first to say she should. Now she wants Henry Fonda for "Ethan Frome."



That's as perfect casting as I've come across in many a day. But I don't think she'll get around to it until some time in January... Ben Hecht has his leading lady for "The Specter of the Rose." She is Ballerina Viola Esen, who was born in St. Louis of Bulgarian and Russian descent. From a friend of Lew Ayres in Pittsburgh, Pa.—incidentally it's a man—comes the suggestion that Lew is the only one on the screen who should play Larry in "The Razor's Edge." This fan is taking nothing from Tyrone Power as to his ability as an actor, but he has an earthy quality, and this part also requires idealism and spirituality, and nobody but Lew Ayres, who has experienced these feelings, could properly play the scenes in India where he goes to seek the truth.

More Spinach for Bob
Bob Cummings phoned me from New York City that since he's won his fight for the right to work, he'll bring suit against Universal for the money lost in all the weeks they prevented him from working. They made him turn down at least \$100,000 in radio shows, I understand.

"And," says Bob, "my battle was with one man in the studio. I never met Nate Blumberg, who is head of Universal, but during my first picture Executive Producer Dan Kelly came up to me and said, 'I was against hiring you. I don't think you have any talent, but Joe Pasternak thinks you have. I'm running your life here, however, and we'll go on from there.' That isn't a very nice way to begin a happy association, and I'm surprised at Dan Kelly. Yet I know he did practically the same thing to Little Elizabeth Taylor, who was so wonderful in "National Velvet." She so proved her talent. The Cummings-Bob, his brother Oscar, and their two wives—flew to New York in a new twin-engine DC-78 bought from the Army. Yes, they painted it spinach color! They ran into some bad weather en route East. In fact, the trip took so long they didn't know they'd won their case until two days after the court handed down the decision.

\$60,000 Holdup
That little holdup on the Sunset strip took 60,000 snappers away from six of our local bookies. They think they know the five masked bandits who did the trick. If they do, it's going to be a very serious matter. I can remember some years back when of our present stars who didn't know he was star material then was about to hold up one of the established stars in his studio when he was caught just in time... The reason for James Caesar Petrillo's ban on Artie Shaw Sunday wasn't anything against Artie—the ban was against the network. Last year music was pulled off the Jack Benny show. Last Sunday Shaw got it. But Artie says he's been told he can go on and do one next Sunday. He tells me Petrillo is a friend of old musicians. Last year when there was a row in the spirit Bob, his brother Oscar, and their two wives—flew to New York in a new twin-engine DC-78 bought from the Army. Yes, they painted it spinach color! They ran into some bad weather en route East. In fact, the trip took so long they didn't know they'd won their case until two days after the court handed down the decision.

Spur of the Moment
When Kay Kyser and Bob Hope muffed their lines in the Hollywood Bowl the other night they chuckled the script and improvised better chatter than was written for 'em... Red Skelton has been toned down subdued at his first public appearance with wife, Georgia, at the Mocambo the other night... Natalie Draper seems to think Otto Preminger's dancing is irresistible. She ought to hear what his wife says about it... Frank Wolfe, a writer at Century-Fox's new baby contest at 6 months and a blue ribbon as the most bee-youthful child when he was 4 months. He's 22, blond and handsome than Stirling Hayden. His first picture will be Andy Lawler's "Too Beautiful to Kill." If the Navy surrenders him in time, and sister, that's just what he is!... Stuart Cheney will do John Steinbeck's fantasy, "Wizard of Maine" in New York this fall... Twentieth Century has another unpublished novel along the lines of "Keys of the Kingdom." It's titled "These Two Hands" and is by Father E. J. Edwards... Ross Hunter chaperoned Judy Canova's hilarious "Hit the Hay" party. Frankie Sinatra, in overalls, had all the farm girls swooning.

Badge of Success
First thing the Cornel Wildes did when both signed contracts at Twentieth Century—he got a new one and she signed her first—was to go out and buy Norma Tal-madge's lovely home in Benedict Canyon. Sure, it has a swimming pool—that's the badge of success here. Their old home in Beverly Hills is now for sale... Bob Rhodes, who sees the future in ice cubes where most guys see only clouds present, pens me from a cloudword "Veterans' Hospital" where he's prognosticating to kill the tedious hours. Rhodes, who prophesied last August that September 2 would be V-J day, among other things: "Joan Crawford will get the Academy Award for 'Mildred Pierce,' and Ray Milland will win with "Lost Weekend."

CHATTER: Col. R. C. Kramer, Gen. MacArthur's economic and scientific chief, who will supervise the seized Japanese financial institutions, was an official of the America First Committee. "When I came back," Kramer said, "I told a group of us last year, 'I intend to renew the fight for isolationism.'... Sinclair Lewis will be front-covered by Time... There's been a shake-up at the Luce organizations, with a number of returned veterans as replacements... Robert Hopkins, who served through the African campaign, is being sent to England to bring his English bride to America this month. He's been overseas three years.

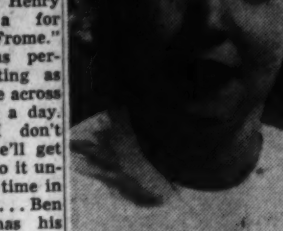
TRIUMPH: Victor Jory complained to Equity that its magazine's report on the standings in the Broadway show league, Louis Calhern's "Peerless Invincibles" had erroneously been reported in first place. Calhern wrote a reply explaining that the scoring in this actors league had been based "on more esthetic grounds than gold lists of runs and hits and errors. My team," wrote Calhern, "came first in punctuality and first in clarity of diction when addressing the umpire and first in the matter of attention to costume. Jory looked like a mad Hamlet in the pitcher's box, but he lost points because his pants were too long. And we, incidentally, won several games with the gentlemanly tone of our heckling and by not getting gay with the ladies in the stands."

ENTERPRISE: At the Jefferson Island outing for President Truman, the host—counsel to the Pepsi-Cola Co.—was startled to see Bob Hannagan directing the unloading of some cases of Coca Cola which had just arrived from the mainland. "What happened?" asked the host. "What're these bottles doing here?"... "I ordered them," Hannagan confessed. "They're for Morton Downey. Mort broadcasts for Coca-Cola, and won't drink any other brand."

WEALTH: Ambassador Kirk, who lives in a palace in Rome at his own expense, entertained a group of visitors from Washington. They gaped in wonder at the quality of the residence and the number of servants. They touched one servant bring a pipe to the Ambassador. A second servant filled the pipe with tobacco. A third servant struck a match. When Ambassador Kirk took the lit match from the third servant's hand and started to light the pipe all by himself one of the visitors nudged a companion and whispered: "See! I told you he's a democratic guy."

Mr. Brigham Takes Bride, Miss Thatcher

Palms and white flowers decorated the Metropolitan Memorial Church when Miss Margaret Graham Thatcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Dolbeer Smith, Worcester, Mass., who will become the bride of Lieut. Donald Ellsworth Kayhoe. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Garman Kayhoe, live in Chevy Chase, Md. Lieutenant Kayhoe, now stationed at Camp Sibert, Ala., recently returned from 17 months overseas. No date has been set for the wedding.



Matron of honor, Mrs. Robert Gates, wore a green net gown over tulle, and her shoulder-length veil of matching net was caught in a Juliet cap. She carried an old-fashioned bouquet. Four bridesmaids attending the bride were Mrs. David C. Thatcher, Miss Dorothy Williams, Miss Marie Heinrich and Miss Jane Donaldson Littman. Two wore pink lace and net gowns with sweetheart neckline and short puffed sleeves, and the others wore similar gowns of blue. They carried matching old-fashioned bouquets. O. J. Blalock Jr., served as best man and ushers were Dr. Harold A. Blood, Joseph Roth, Everett, Mass.; Donald G. Glass and W. Kenneth Lease. Junior ushers were Phillip Henshaw and George H. McLain. A reception in the Admiral Club followed the service.

The bride's mother wore a soft grey crepe dress and corsage of roses. A rose crepe dress with corsage of white gardenias was worn by the mother of the bridegroom.

The bride attended Mary Washington College, University of Virginia. Mr. Brigham attended Oxford School of Business Administration, Cambridge, Mass. The couple will live in Washington when they return from a short wedding trip to New England.

Don't Cross Nerve Action
Every motion we make with the hands is controlled by the brain, which transmits the message to act by way of nerves to the appropriate muscles. If the message is sent from the left side of the brain the child will be right-handed and will use that hand to translate the message in action. If the right side of the brain is the one sending the signals the child will be left-handed.

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When the parent insists upon the left-handed child using the right hand, then the message, instead of flowing freely from nerve to muscle, is blocked and has to go in another direction. Interference and blocking affect not only the skillful use of the hand itself but show up in speech difficulties and increased nervousness.

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Doris Kennedy To Be Bride

Miss Doris Patricia Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph P. Kennedy, Beltsville, Md., and Ulster, Pa., is engaged to Lieut. James Matthew Mueller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Mueller, Jansville, Wis.

Miss Kennedy, who attended Elmira College, Elmira, N. Y., is with the Office of Scientific Research and Development. The bride-elect is a graduate of Marjorie Webster Junior College. Sergeant Dinsmore attended George Washington University and obtained his master's degree in law at the National University of Law. He recently returned to this country after serving 39 months in the European theater of operations. The wedding will take place in the near future.

Sergeant to Wed Betty L. Rosenthal

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Rosenthal announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Betty Lorayne Rosenthal, to Sergt. Jack Dinsmore, USA, son of Mrs. Bertha Dinsmore. The bride-elect is a graduate of Marjorie Webster Junior College. Sergeant Dinsmore attended George Washington University and obtained his master's degree in law at the National University of Law. He recently returned to this country after serving 39 months in the European theater of operations. The wedding will take place in the near future.

Cousins' Illness Postpones Speech

Owing to illness, Norman Cousins, editor of the Saturday Review of Literature, will not speak at the home of Mrs. Robert Low Bacon this evening. His subject was to have been "The Social and Economic Implications of Atomic Energy." Mr. Cousins will be in Washington Tuesday, October 23, when Mrs. Bacon has asked guests to hear him speak at 8:30 p. m. on the same subject.

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The Gentler Sex

By Malvina Lindsay

EVERY TIME I pick up a newspaper or magazine I read about how cold and hungry Europe is going to be this winter. I've read it so often I've begun to glance at it as idly as I do the surmises on President Truman's next appointee. That's what alarms me. Am I getting calloused to human misery? Am I developing the shrug-of-the-shoulders attitude that well-fed German hausfraus showed toward Buchenwald?

It wasn't that way at first. My heart used to ache and I felt the goading impulse to do something whenever I read about children of central Europe grabbing the garbage from the GI's mess, Dutch women pathetically trying to keep their homes and families clean with cold water and no soap, tattered Austrians waiting for tons of contributed rags to be reconverted into cloth, French children with purple legs due to chilblains, British women after five years of sacrifice and struggle in fighting the battle of Britain having their joy over peace turned into gloom by being told they must tighten their belts and live in cold houses for a second battle of survival—yes, and the many Germans and Japanese who look ahead to a probable death from hunger and cold.

Those who tried to explain it pointed out that we had done something, that we had shipped some meat and wheat and clothing, but it took time to do things like that on a large scale, that Congress was busy with reconversion and taxes, and arguing about President Truman's appointees, and besides giving away food was a ticklish business since people's stomach nerves were always especially sensitive. So I shrugged my shoulders again and went shopping, and began to speculate when I would get nylon hose and a rubber girdle. But I kept running into women who, like myself, would be reminded, among the lavish displays in grocery stores, of the bread lines of haggard humanity they had seen in the movie shorts. Like myself, they kept asking "What are we waiting for?"

I thought I had gotten the whole thing out of my mind until I read there would be enough food in this country for us to prevent starvation in Europe without tightening our belts. That meant Congress could appropriate food relief funds for 1946 without worrying over constituents' calories. So I find myself once more asking, "What are we waiting for?" I wonder if I will be shrugging my shoulders again this winter if I read about those who die from hunger and cold.

Left-Handed Child Should Not Be Changed

By Myrtle Meyer Eldred
The young baby, just beginning to put out her object, may use both right and left hands. So her mother will proclaim that he is ambidextrous and expect great things of him. But this phase is a fleeting one and shortly the baby will show a preference for one hand or the other.

If he happens to use the left hand, his parents, or other, will feel that all he needs is some extra training and he will be able to use the right hand as well as the left. It is too bad when this belief leads parents to frustrate the child in the use of his natural hand. Being left- or right-handed is a physical condition peculiar to the individual.

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Mrs. Wimsatt Honors Cuban

Senora de Munilla, wife of the former Military Attaché of the Cuban Embassy, was the guest in whose honor Mrs. W. K. Wimsatt entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Mayflower.

Other guests included Miss Antonette Rudolph, Mrs. Henry Ridgely, Mrs. John Arnold, Mrs. Louise Ware, Mrs. Odienne Sampson, Mrs. L. E. Smith, Mrs. James McHenry, Mrs. Wimsatt and Mrs. Charles Council.

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I NEVER THOUGHT OF IT THAT WAY, COL. CORKIN...

WAIT TILL WE GET LEEB OUT ON THAT GUNNERY RANGE, SIR... WE'LL CLAIM HE WAS SHOT DOWN BY ONE OF THOSE JAP BOMBERS WHO KEEP TURNING UP IN THE COMIC STRIPS ON REMOTE ISLANDS WHERE THEY DON'T KNOW THE WAR'S OVER...

THE GUNNERY SHOULD BE IN THE RANGE AREA BY NOW, FETS - I'LL BE OUT FOR AN HOUR, OR SO...

YES, SIR...

PLEASE TELL MISS KANE, COLONEL CORKIN IS HERE...

J. K. Co.

Panel 1: A man in a dark uniform is talking to a woman in a dark uniform. The man is looking at the woman. The woman is looking at the man. The man is saying: "BOY I'M HUNGRY! / AM THAT STORM AMT GONNA BE OVER PER DAYS. IT'S BEEN FIVE HOURS NOW". The woman is saying: "LOOK THAT WAY".

Panel 2: Two men in dark uniforms are sitting at a table. The man on the left is looking at the man on the right. The man on the right is looking at the man on the left. The man on the left is saying: "COURSE YOU AMT SPORED TO EAT BEFORE A FIGHT- BUT WHO KNOWS WHEN WE START FIGHTIN' AGAIN.". The man on the right is saying: "I. SURE COULD GO FOR SOME QNOW. LETS GO."

Panel 3: The same two men are sitting at the table. The man on the left is looking at the man on the right. The man on the right is looking at the man on the left. The man on the left is saying: "S' WHETS I SURE PICKED AWAY A MEAL. I WAS STARVED.". The man on the right is saying: "I COULDN'T EVEN TAKE A PLUNCH FROM ME OLD GRAND- MOTHER. IF SHE USED A GRAND- PUFF PER A BOXIN GLOVE AFTER THAT! WOOD O'S".

Panel 4: The same two men are sitting at the table. The man on the left is looking at the man on the right. The man on the right is looking at the man on the left. The man on the left is saying: "COURSE YOU AMT SPORED TO EAT BEFORE A FIGHT- BUT WHO KNOWS WHEN WE START FIGHTIN' AGAIN.". The man on the right is saying: "I. SURE COULD GO FOR SOME QNOW. LETS GO."

CANDY'S OKAY, FLAME...! BUT...I'M NOT...GOT...CRAZY FEELING IN...HEAD...!

THINK I'LL LIE DOWN...LITTLE WHILE...!

'SMATTER-GARRY? TOUCH OF COMBAT FATIGUE?...

SO! THE MASTERLY MALE IS THE FIRST CASUALTY IN OUR LITTLE PRIVATE WAR?...OK, BATTLE RATTLE. GOT HIM! WELL, DIG THIS, DARLING!...I'M GOING AWOL...AS SOON AS MAMMA NATURE STOPS MAKING WITH THE FIREWORKS!...MAYBE SOONER...IF I...

CRAZY!

REPORTER

WELL, LET'S GO DOWN AND HAVE A TALK WITH HER ALL OF MISS TITE'S BROTHER. I CAN STAND! HER THAT SHE DOESN'T NEED US!

SO YOU THINK THERE IS NOTHING HERE THAT A BURLAR MIGHT WANT, EH?

TO BE PERFECTLY FRANK, MISS TITE - THAT'S IT, EXACTLY!

I CAN GEE THAT I'LL HAVE TO CHANGE THAT OPINION!

CLICK!

THESE ARE THE FAMILY JEWELS!! I PROMISED MY FATHER THEY WOULD NEVER LEAVE THIS HOUSE!

GO!

DICK DICAN

WE'VE HAD SUCH A LOVELY TIME, JUD - WON'T YOU COME IN?

THANKS, HONEY, BUT I'VE GOT A BIG SCRIPT TO READ TONIGHT!

BEEN IN MY CHAIR -

SOMEBODY'S BEEN AT MY DESK!!

STILL HERE - LISTEN!

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PANEL 1:

DO YOU THINK YOU SHOULD DO THAT?... MARK ON THE TABLE-CLOTH WITH LIPSTICK I MEAN?

IT'S A HABIT I HAVE--- PEOPLE EVEN CALL ME "GOODLES!"

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PANEL 2:

BESIDES...YOU HAVE SUCH A NICE NAME!! I LOVE TO WRITE IT!!

*Stephen Rogers
Pikes Ferry, O.*

PANEL 3:

THE APPLE'S RIPE HERE--NI-- PICK IT OFF!

PANEL 4:

GOODNESS! THAT FLASHLIGHT STARTLED ME--I'M AFRAID THERE WILL BE A VERY DARING PICTURE

SO OLD MAN PRIBBY TOOK YOU TO THE LOW DOWN CLUB FOR DINNER. EH, WINNIE?

DID HE DANCE WITH YA?

NO! ALL HE DID WAS WORRY ABOUT THE CALORIES IN HIS FOOD!

THAT WOULD BE JUST LIKE PRIBBY; HE CAN'T GET HIMSELF OUT OF HIS MIND!!

HE OUGHTA WORE A GIRDLE FOR A HAT BAND!

HE DOESN'T MAN TO BE CONCITED-

IT JUST COMES NATURAL!

I'LL BET HE GIVES THREE ROARS CHEERS WHENEVER HE LOOKS IN HIS MIRROR!

HE OUGHTA WORE A GIRDLE FOR A HAT BAND!

HE DOESN'T MAN TO BE CONCITED-

IT JUST COMES NATURAL!

THE END OF THE GOLDEN GIRLS

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

FORKS GANG HAS LEFT CANYON RIM RANCH!

SEEMS SO, MANDY... HMM-WHERE DOES THIS OLD PATH LEAD TO?

WHY-ER--TO THE OLD CAVE UP THERE, KING

FOOLLOOS-A PROCKER HERE

MEANWHILE... SOME MILES AWAY...

HOO! THINGS TH' KILLER WERE AHUNTIN'!

CORNER! HE WON'T GIT A VIBBER CHANCE T' BREAK SAIL AGIN' HIM!

"TH' POSSE'S TIRED AN IN A HUMOR--IF THEY FIND THIS RUNNER, THEY'LL LYNCH BILLY SUSS!"

LIT. FORMER

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HELLO - HELLO--GOLLY, I WONDER IF THAT WAS DAINSY CALLIN' T' REMIND ME OF OUR DATE!

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HELLO, DAISSY, SAY DID YOU JUST CALL ME?

THE WASHINGTON POST

THURSDAY	WASHINGTON				E.S.T.				Saturday, October 6, 1944			
WMAL	430/WRC	980/WOL	1260/WINX	1340/WDC	1450/WTOP	1450/WTOP	1450/WTOP	1450/WTOP	1450/WTOP	1450/WTOP	1450/WTOP	1450/WTOP
Today's Prelude, 6:05 News, 6, 7, 8:30 Town Clock (Crifton) Robinson, 7:10-9 David Willis, 7:45	Bill Herson, 6-9 News, 6, 7, 7:30 Singer, 8:30 Roundup, 8: Weather, 8:30	Top of the Morning, 6:05 Music, 6:30 World-6:30, 7:30, 8:30 The Palgus, 8:30	News, 6, 7, 8 Jerry Strong, Wake Up with WINX, 6:05-9	Wake Up at 6 Directions, 6:45 Mike Hummel, 7:10-9 Godfrey, 7:45-8:15 Mahoney, 7:40-8:15	Corn Squeezit News, 6:45, 7:30, 8:15 Godfrey, 7:45-8:15 Mahoney, 7:40-8:15							
9:00 Breakfast Club 1:15 3:30 4:45	Home Is What You Make It News, Holly Wright Story to Order	News; Musical Texas Rangers Musical Boogey	News; Music Music in the Air Musical Revue	News; Bargain Hour Bargain Hour Tea-Time	News; Arthur Godfrey Saturday, Jack Ben Saturday, Jack Ben P. R. Junior							
10:00 Gales Drags 1:15 3:30 4:45	The Teentimers Archie Andrews 4:45	News; Billy Repaid Southern Harmonies Rainbow House	News; Music Music Hall	Teen Time Requests News; D. C. Quiz Bee D. C. Quiz Bee	Give and Take Mary Lee Taylor							
11:00 1:15 3:30 4:45	First Piano Quartet Smilin' Ed McConnell 4:45	This Week, Warner Arlington on the Air Air Lane Trio	News; Symphony Concerto for Left Hand (Cortot)	Latin Dances Rosebud Jr. Chorus News; Matinee Morning Parade	News; Let's Pretend Billie Burke Show							
12:00 1:15 3:30 4:45	News; Events 15: Car Tossers Your Home 4:45	News; Improvisations Consumer Time Hovelle Look to This Day	News; Mystery Lunchoon Lyrics Friddle Martin Emil Paff's Orch. Once Upon A Time	Spurs on Parade Missing Persons Jamboree	Theater of Today Stars Over Hollywood							
1:00 National 1:15 Children's Frolic 3:00 Round Up 4:45	National Home Hour Veterans' Adviser American World	News; Love Notes World Series Baseball Game (Cubs vs. Tigers)	News; Music Your OPA Musical Boogey	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Grand Central Station; Hollywood Radio Theater							
2:00 Sweet Swing 1:15 3:30 4:45	Yost Host Is Buffalo All American Scoreboard	News; Interlude National War Fund Walter Sals	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Iowa vs. Ohio St. Football Game News; Game								
3:00 Wake Forest 1:15 3:30 4:45	West Point vs. Wake Forest Football Game	News; Tea for Two Tea for Two	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Football Game								
4:00 1:15 3:30 4:45	West Point vs. Wake Forest Football Game	News; Band Wagon Broadway Band Wagon Jam for Supper	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Eliot Lawrence O								
5:00 Duke Ellington 1:15 3:30 4:45	Grand Hotel John W. Vandercook Tim Pan Alley	Melody Caravan News; Music Hall Music Hall	Band of the Day Swing Session News; Football Final Football Final	Saturday Symphony								
6:00 News; W. Fletcher 1:15 First Call 3:00 Invitation to Dutch 4:45 Labor, U.S.A.	News; Let's Eid Musical Dutch Bargman News, Bennett	News; Music So the Story Goes Veterans' Reporter Russ Hodges	WINX News Suzette, Serenade Bob Wolff, Sports Dinner Date	News; Swing Swing Session Sports Roundup Jobs for Veterans	Mahoney; Costello Hill Editor 6:30 Show World Today News							
7:00 Jobs After Victory 1:15 Corp's Enters Abroad 3:00 Dick Tracy 4:45	Our Foreign Policy Voices in the Land	Strictly Swing Songs of Good Cheer Sen. James Murray Youth Choir	News; Music Starlight Quartet Walter Sals, Organist	Bible Quiz Roosevelt Hotel Orch. Salute to The Service	Helen Hayes Just Entertainment							
8:00 Hooster Hop 1:15 3:30 4:45	Life of Riley Truth or Consequences	News; Singing News, Eaton Cathie Tune Time	News; Music AFCE Town Opera House	Jam Session News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	Yvonne of the Town Hill Parade							
9:00 Gang Busters 1:15 3:30 Boston Symphony 4:45 (Kousovitsky)	National Barn Dance Can You Top This The Whisper Man	News; Symphony Debut's "Lamer" (Rodzinski)	News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	Your Hit Parade Saturday Night								
10:00 1:15 3:30 Hayflick Headband 4:45	Judy Canova Grand Ole Opry	Chicago Theater Cathie Tune Time	News; Let's Dance Let's Dance	News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe Super Session Super Session	Secret Dance to the N Poster Duels							
11:00 News; Events 1:15 Hour of Dreams 3:30 4:45	News; Music Believe in the News I Sustain the Wings	Voice of D. C. McDonald's Orch. Vaughn Monroe's Orch Traffic Court News	WINX News Let's Dance Traffic Court Music	Dance Party News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe Super Session Super Session	News; Eliot, C Arch-McDonald's Tommy Dorsey							

W3XO—F. M.	43200 K.C.	ONCE UPON A TIME . . .
7:00 p. m.—Edmund Pearson	9:00 p. m.—Easy Listening	Visit in the "Land of Make Believe." Today's dramatized fairy tale "HENNY PENNY." Enchanting entertainment for the young . . . and old.
7:10 p. m.—Collega Miersen	10:15 p. m.—" "	
7:30 p. m.—Collega Miersen	9:30 p. m.—" "	
7:45 p. m.—" "	9:45 p. m.—" "	
8:00 p. m.—News	10:00 p. m.—News	TODAY AT 12:45 NOON.
8:10 p. m.—Concert Hour	10:05 p. m.—Jamboree	WINX—1340 on your dial
8:30 p. m.—" "	10:30 p. m.—" "	
Michael Vasson		

I AM ABOUT TO MAKE MY MOST IMPORTANT STORY PLANT-- ANY SLP WILL BE TRAGIC.

GOLLY MOOSE!

ER--I'LL NEED ALL YOUR CLOTHING!

MUM ??-- G-G-GORS-- ULP-- OH--H-- DO I HAFTA?

YOU MUST!!

GEE--OH--AN--RIGHT--

COULD I BE KEEPIN' MY HAT-- IT MIGHT GET COLD--?

OKAY!--AND-- NOW FOR THE PAYOFF!!

By: V. L. Smith
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DOTTY

Panel 1: A man in a hat and overalls (Daddy) is talking to a young girl. He says, "DADDY DID YOU PLAY FOOTBALL WHEN YOU WERE A BOY?" She replies, "WHY SURE!"

Panel 2: The man is talking to a group of boys. He says, "SEE, I TOLD YOU MY DADDY WAS A CHAMP FOOTBALL PLAYER!"

Panel 3: The man is running away from a group of boys who are laughing at him. One boy says, "HIYA, MR. DRIPPLE!"

Panel 4: The man is lying on the ground, looking up at a group of boys who are cheering and holding a star. One boy says, "WHO HIT ME WITH THE GOAL POSTS?!"

PENNY

IT'S SURE A SNAZZY DANCE, PENNY!

ADVING WING DING, BRUZ!

SOLID JACKSON!

LET'S SIT THE NEXT ONE OUT, PIGSON!

OHAY, BRUZ!

BRUZ BRATFORD, DON'T YOU DARE SIT YOUR ARM AROUND ME! I'M A MAN. I AM DEFINITELY NOT THE TYPE OF A GIRL THAT PERMITS ANY MAN-TO-MAN...

OHAY, BRUZ!

SUPERMAN

HAD TO LEAVE SAINT AND HIS PAL UPSTAIRS. DID THEY ESCAPE?

YES— BUT WE RECOVERED THE CASH, AND YOUR APPEARANCE BROUGHT IN SO MUCH EXTRA BUSINESS THAT WE'RE MORE THAN COMPENSATED FOR OUR DAMAGE.

SUPERMAN!

RIGHT WITH YOU, LOIS.

PARKING ME UP THERE LIKE AN OLD HAT? YOU BRUTE! JUST YOU WAIT! WE'RE MARRIED! I'LL TEACH YOU A THING OR TWO!

LOOKS AS IF SUPERMAN'S MARRIAGE TO LOIS MAY BE PRETTY HECTIC!

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NAPOLEON

ELURISHA / ELBY, I'VE SOLVED IT / MY INVENTION — THE ATOMIC THOUGHT WAVE TELEPATHIC DOG CONTROL IT'S FINISHED!

MONDAY YOU AND YOUR STUPID BEAST SHALL DEMONSTRATE IT TO THE WORLD / YOU WILL BE ABLE TO DIRECT AND CONTROL YOUR DOG AT A DISTANCE BY JUST THINKING!

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Merry-Go-Round

THERE IS A LOT MORE than meets the eye behind the ouster of pistol-packing Gen. George

S. Patton, Jr., as Governor of Bavaria. Actually, members of General Eisenhower's staff knew for weeks that he was disregarding orders, but winked at it until Ray Danieli of the New York Times exposed Patton's flagrant cooperation with top Nazis and

his keeping of U. S. troops in tents while U. S. officers were entertained in luxurious Nazi homes. For instance, at a meeting of Allied military governors called by Generals Eisenhower and Clay at Supreme Headquarters from August 27 to 29, Patton vigorously and openly objected to Clay's orders on denazification.

General Clay had demanded that no Nazis be used under American occupation forces.

"Hell's bells," exploded Patton, "when a fellow goes into a town without a burgemeister who is invariably a Nazi, he will be up the creek without a paddle."

General Clay bristled and re-

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Queens will be the new

went his own sweet way, ignoring orders. It should be said for him, however, that others did the same. There are four reasons for the flamboyant status of Eisenhower's orders by his officers. Many of them don't believe in a tough peace for Germany. Some want to build up Germany as a bulwark against Russia. Some are production men by trade, and are therefore anxious to see Germany get on its feet. Some were actively engaged in doing business with Germany before the war, so believe in rebuilding Germany as a good customer.

A sample of the type of men in top control of Germany is Brig. Gen. William H. Draper, Deputy Director of the Military

cratic boss of New York Bill O'Dwyer is elected . . . William Benton, now an Secretary of State and a relations with the first top State Departmentals who has doffed the shirt, meets visitors with sleeves rolled up. . . Joe of the Democratic National mittee does his best work his shoes and socks off. . . Times visitor catches a glimpse of Jimmy Byrnes got another painting visited the London . . . complete. . . Life Magazine's next lay-out of pictures former Secretaries of State carried no photo of Ed Stettin

which did considerable business with the Nazis before the war. Draper is in charge of overall economic policies and constantly promotes a plan of rebuilding Germany.

Col. James Boyd, an industrialist, sees things the same way as Draper.

Boyd's deputy is Ellis S. Hoagland, who was General Motors' representative to Germany.

on good terms with all the Nazi-German industrial magnates before Pearl Harbor.

Another official supposed to demand Germany is Rufus J. Myser, former head of Republic Steel. He had considerable dealings with the Germans before the war and is a good friend of all the heads of the Nazi-German steel trust.

'Must Use Nazis'

AT ONE MEETING IN Frank-

At a similar meeting, Myor said: "The most important people in the industry of Germany going to get the industry of Germany going if I can't use German and Nazi cartels."

The head of the transportation section, Gen. John A. Appleton, insisted on using Herr Dertnemmiller, who had been in charge

of the railroads for the Nazis, after our occupation. He only stopped using Dortenmuller when Dortenmuller died at the age of 80 recently.

When Brig. Gen. Frank Mead, who is in charge of communications, was ordered to denazify

the communication industry, he refused and told one meeting he was "going to shower requests for exceptions on the Control Commission." He also stated that he had not enough blackstrap molasses to produce alcohol for his own needs.

**United Nations
Release Program**

On Farm Reforms

From Yesterday's Late Editions

A comprehensive program of proposed world agricultural reforms was released yesterday by the United Nations Interim Commission on food and agriculture.

In a general report which will be used as a provisional work program for the food and agriculture organization conference in Quebec

On October 3, the commission proposed:

1. Setting up of national nutrition organizations in "as many nations as possible."
2. Aid to "less developed countries" in fruit, vegetable and egg production.
3. Introduction of better hand tools and simple machinery.

4. A world census of agriculture, forestry and fisheries — recommended for 1950 or as soon thereafter as possible.

g. Association of Statistical Data to provide the basis for advice to various nations on adaptation of production to changing world needs.

War Casualties
Reach 1,070,524

Decrease Noted

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Another drop in the Nation's war casualty total was reported yesterday by the armed forces, with the total now standing at 1,070,524.

The decrease of 48 from last week's figure resulted from reductions in the number of missing and revisions in other categories.

Army casualties, reported through September 30, totaled 922,476. The latest Navy figure amounts to 148,048.